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HIGH SCHOOL

Foreword

We, the class of 1946, sincerely hope this yearbook will recall many memories of our happy days at Muhlenberg Township High School.

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Dedication

To "one world" in which people of all nations may live and work in peace and security maintained by a just and equitable United Nations organization, we, the class of 1946, dedicate this yearbook.

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We Honor . . .

Mr. C. E. Cole, who is retiring after having served as Superintendent of Muhlenberg Township School District for five consecutive four-year terms since 1925.
During that time Mr. Cole has been a guide and friend to many students throughout their school careers.

We, the class of 1946, wish to express our sincere appreciation for his unfailing interest in and devotion to the development and the improvement of the schools of Muhlenberg Township.

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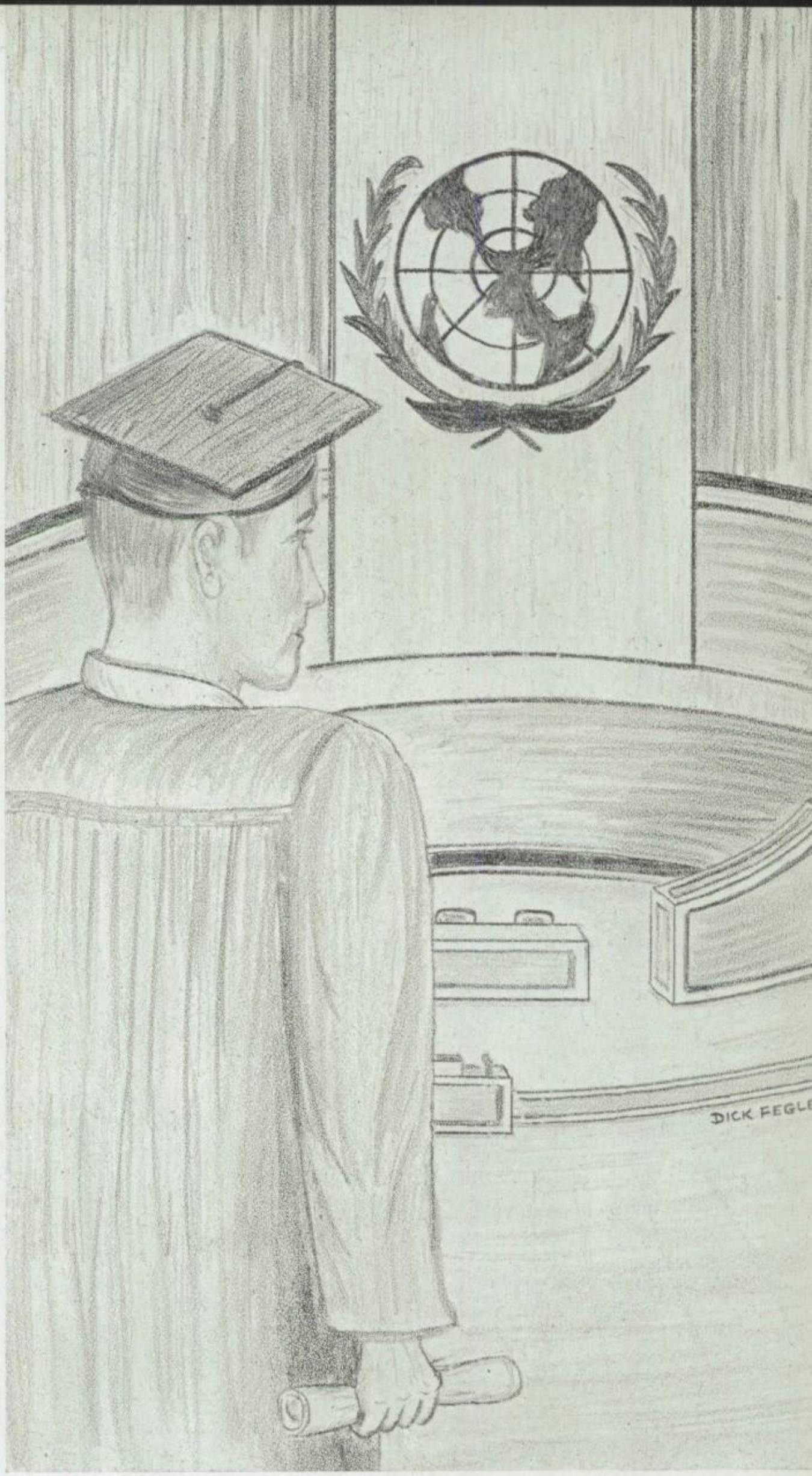
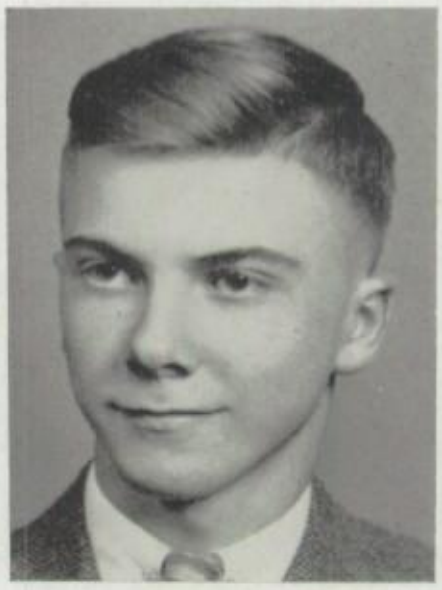


Classes

MARGARET ADAMS — Commercial

Tall, slender "Margie," who has brown, wavy hair and a passion for reading novels, is one of our peppy cheerleaders. She also took part in the senior class play. Her chief delight is talking, and once started, can hold her own in any conversation. In the future Margaret would like to be a filing clerk.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Cheerleading 11, 12; Muhltohi.



JOHN ANGSTADT — Industrial

"Johnnie," one of the quieter members of the Senior Class, claims mechanical drawing is his favorite subject. Being an ardent fan of baseball, he has played on a city league team. In his spare time he can usually be found building model airplanes, and in the future he would like to become an aviation mechanic.

Basketball 11; Track 12.

KENNETH ARTZ — Commercial

This blond-haired chap is a source of much entertainment to his friends. Among his accomplishments are playing the piano, saxophone, clarinet, and guitar. Living in the country, as he does, has its advantages; he has a football field in his back yard and a basketball court in his front yard, which promotes varied activity.

Soccer 11; Football 12; Safety Patrol 12.

ELSIE BALSAMINI — Commercial

"May I help you?" says Elsie, working on Saturday at a local "Five and Dime." Besides working, Elsie loves to drive around Temple in her dad's Ford. Sometimes she surrenders to temptation and "cowboys," much to the dismay of her frantic passengers. Elsie also possesses the "gift of gab," a marvelous appetite, and an extremely energetic nature.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Mixed Chorus 10; National Honor Society 12.

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LAWRENCE BEYER — Academic

"Larry," a lively little "cuss," has man-handled a trombone in the band for the past three years. His outstanding characteristic is his faculty for getting into trouble—usually by annoying Mr. Harris, who is his homeroom teacher. As to the future, Lawrence would like to further his knowledge in chemistry and physics at Albright College.

Band 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 12; Muhltohi.

RUTH BRICKER — Academic

Ruth's chief characteristic is her big, blue eyes. Being primarily interested in sports, she rates hockey as an A-1 outdoor sport. Her pet peeve is making speeches. "Ruthie" dotes on Perry Como, and the music of Vaughn Monroe's orchestra places first on her list. She is undecided about her future.

G. A. A. 10; Girl Reserves 11, 12.

ARLENE BROWN — Commercial

Here we have a petite miss who spends most of her leisure time roller-skating. In class she sits quietly, mentally composing letters for that private in the air corps, which sometimes accounts for that startled look when she is called upon. After leaving Muhlenberg, "Fritzie" would like to secure a position as a typist.

Girl Reserves 11.

JANET COOMBS — Academic

Janet has done her share in keeping up Muhlenberg standards by her ardent work as editor of the Observer. She can generally be seen bustling around the halls, doing her bit as Coach Clemens's "Good Man Friday." Janet seems to like all kinds of foods and sports. Maybe this is what makes her so full of pep. A college education is her aim for the future.

National Honor Society 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Observer 11, 12; Debating 11, 12.

MELVA CRAMER — Commercial

Melva, a Blandonite, travels to Muhlenberg daily. Perhaps this is an advantage, as she gets excused five minutes early each day. "Mellie" believes in "making life merry" and can usually be seen walking through the halls with two special friends. In the future she would like to put her typing ability to practical use.

Mixed Chorus 11; Girl Reserves 11.

BETTY DAVIS — Commercial

Basketball, baseball, collecting movie stars' pictures, and embroidering constitute this quiet senior's recreational activities. Much of her time was spent participating in G. A. A. activities and performing secretarial duties in the office. "Betts" intends to enter the McCann's School of Business to further her education after graduation.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G. A. A. 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi.

DAVID DeANGELO — Industrial

"Butch" can usually be found at the Sarig building in Temple enjoying baseball, his favorite activity during the summer, and at Perry's during the winter. This lad likes to dabble in chemistry and can be found performing his experiments at various hours of the day. David will probably be working for Uncle Sam after graduation.

ROBERT DEIST — Academic

"Dr. Deist, call surgery!" This is a preview of Bob's life ten years hence. In contrast to his ambition he spends Saturdays at the local A. & P. His leisure time, if any, is taken up driving his dad's car, boxing, hunting and fishing. Bob is also one of those lucky persons who has a keen sense of humor.

Debating 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; Muhltohi; Hi-Y 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

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SARA DeSANTIS — Commercial

Teachers have tried in vain to divert the energy this brown-haired lass used in chewing gum to more constructive channels. Sara chooses the moving pictures as one of her favorite recreation centers, getting there via a gray "Chevy" and a "certain someone." In the future she would like to obtain a position as a typist.

RUBY DILWORTH — Academic

"Blame Ruby for it," is a pet expression of the members of the Observer Staff when a mistake is found, for Ruby is one of the overworked proofreaders. Hard to believe, she claims journalism is her favorite subject. Her spare time is largely taken up with reading and "getting hep" to what is happening in the world. She intends to further her education at Hood College.

Mixed Chorus 10, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Debating 12; National Honor Society 12.

FREDERICK EISENBROWN — Industrial

This blue-eyed lad can frequently be seen bouncing around in his Ford car. "Tiny" served three years on the stage crew, and also has the unique pastime of gazing at beautiful girls and chewing on his Ry-Krisp. Although he is usually in a humorous mood, he has a serious nature which comes to light at various times.

Stage Crew 10, 11, 12.

MARIAN FALLER — Commercial

This tall, blonde, lively miss can usually be heard saying, "The meeting will please come to order." Marian, president of the Girl Reserves and G. A. A., was active in sports in her junior and senior years. Along with many other commercial girls, Marian would like to obtain a job as a typist after graduation.

Muhltohi; Girl Reserves 11, 12; G. A. A. 10, 11, 12; Track Team 10, 11, 12; Drill Team 12.

RICHARD FEGLEY — Commercial

When asked if he has any extra-special likes, he immediately replied, "women." From this you may surmise that he is quite popular with the opposite sex. "Dick" also delights in wearing loud attire and playing "Abbott" to Vic's "Costello." After school he wants to continue his studies in the field of commercial art.

Hi-Y 12; Muhltohi.

MARY FEHR — Commercial

You are liable to find this red-haired miss enjoying any active sport available, rating basketball and soccer as favorites. Being the manager of G. A. A. has kept her rather busy for the past two years along with her secretarial work. Mary has an unusual knack of putting two and two together and therefore hopes to become an accountant some day.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G. A. A. 10, 11, 12; Track, manager 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi; National Honor Society 12; Bowling 11.

JEAN FELTENBERGER — Commercial

Jean is a dark-haired, demure girl who may often be seen eating at the West Reading Diner and rug-cutting at the "jive-joint." Another pastime which consumes a lot of her energy is gliding over the floor of the skating rink. Occasionally, she settles down long enough to keep up her correspondence with a member of the armed forces. After graduation she plans to be a typist.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G. A. A. 10, 11; Muhltohi; Bowling 10.

DONALD FETTERMAN — Academic

A mania for collecting current best-sellers is possessed by this temperamental senior. "Donny" is fond of playing classics on the piano and attends concerts faithfully, where he hounds the great masters for their autographs. Working as a fountain clerk solves his financial worries. Donald plans to enter the Eastman School of Music upon graduation.

Hi-Y 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12; District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12.

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JOYCE FINK — Academic

There is never a dull moment when Joyce is around. This 5′ 9″ bombshell of energy combines a blithe spirit with a sparkling personality. Results? "Jo" is quite a gal. Taking the lead in the class play, Joyce also proved she can be a serious actress as well as a side-splitting comedian. Her future career is nursing.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Girls Track Team 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Color Guard 12; Bowling 12.

LUTHER FINK — Academic

This long, lean, and lanky senior has as his ambition the ownership of a large dairy concern. Wonder where he got that idea? "Tuffy's" leisure is occupied by his great love—pigeons. Luther loves to talk and will give his Socialistic views to anyone willing to lend an ear. He also doubles as the mighty Nimrod during the hunting season.

BETTY JANE FRY — Commercial

"Let's go up to Reeser's," is often heard from "Betts." This "hepcat" rates the art of jitter-bugging and roller-skating at Dreamland Park at the top of her recreational list. She certainly has the energy for it. Betty says typing is her favorite subject, and after graduation she hopes to enter a business school.

Muhltohi; Girl Reserves 11, 12.

RUTH GARDNER — Commercial

"Ruthie," a gay, brown-eyed miss, spends a great deal of her time working at Bachman's after school. However, she manages to squeeze in time to write letters to her "one and only," and to drive her dad's Ford around Laureldale. Ruth intends to become a typist in someone's office after graduation.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Bowling 10.

CATHERINE GASPARI — Academic

Here is one girl who takes her studies seriously, which is evidenced by her scholastic standing, but still has time to whizz around in a green "Chevy." A sewing club and bowling take up much of "Cathy's" spare time. In the future Catherine intends to enter Immaculata College to take up a course in retail merchandising.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

ERNEST GAUBY — Commercial

Picture a quiet and grave young man with a respect for everyone and you have Ernest. He has the distinction of being the giant of the class and is usually calm and collected, except when the fenders fall off his car. Ernest's favorite sport is "big game" hunting (rabbits, pheasants, women, and the like). He plans to be a mechanic, or possibly, a marine.

GEORGE GEARY — Academic

George's booming laugh can be heard from one end of the hall to the other. Being artistically inclined, George designed the class emblem. His taking the male lead in the class play couldn't have had anything to do with his selling the most tickets, could it? He plans to attend Duke University, but is undecided as to the phase of his studies.

Mixed Chorus 12; Track 12; Muhltohi; Soccer 11; District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12.

JANE GEIGER — Commercial

"Do you sink you know'd me?" If you hear this strange phrase, you know that Jane must be somewhere around, even though you may have a hard time finding her. "Janie's" favorite hobby at present is writing letters to a lad in the navy. After graduation she would like to be a typist.

Mixed Chorus 12; Muhltohi; Girl Reserves 11, 12.

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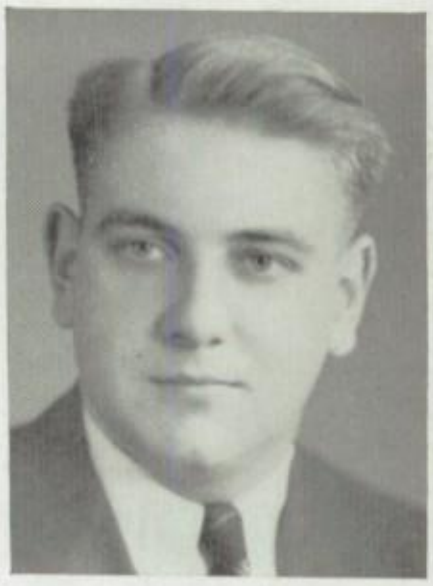
RALPH GREENAWALD — Academic

A fondness for study and athletic tendencies are excellently combined in this unusual senior. His 230 pounds offered a formidable barrier against enemy tacklers on the gridiron. He also participated on the debating team and was "chief executive" during his senior year. Ralph plans to study metallurgy at Lehigh University.

Debating 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Football 12; Orchestra 10, 11; Muhltohi; Traffic Court 12; Soccer 11, District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12.



GARRETT GREENE — Academic

Garrett seems to be fascinated by automobiles and can often be seen riding about in a station wagon which is loaded with jovial students. He particularly dislikes "mushie" movies and possesses a keen sense of humor. Garrett plans to attend Lehigh University in preparation for a future as a mechanical engineer.

Mixed Chorus 10; Track, manager 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

LINN GRIM — Academic

Here is our vice-president, one of the taller boys, sprouting to 6 feet, 4 inches. High scorer on the basketball team, he rates this sport "tops." Teasing the girls is his hobby and there's no one who laughs so much at Linn's jokes as Linn does. In the future he intends to be either a lawyer or a metallurgist.

Hi-Y 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; National Honor Society 12.

RICHARD HAHN — Academic

The best place to hunt for Richard is at Wilhelm's Paint Company where he draws his pay check. He likes to take pictures, especially of a brunette in the junior class with whom he spends a great deal of his spare time. His pet peeve is preparing last minute news reports for history class. In the future Dick hopes to own a large poultry farm.

BETTY HARTMAN — Commercial

Here is a tall, brown-eyed blonde with a pleasant disposition and a diamond on her left hand, which indicates her future is well-planned. "Bonnie" is quite active in sports, having been a member of G. A. A. for two years. She was also an ardent rooter at football and basketball games. Her services were much appreciated as food chairman for the Girl Reserves.

G. A. A. 10, 11; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

JOYCE HEFFNER — Commercial

Here is a pleasant lass who always has a shy smile for everyone. "Joycie" enjoys basketball and baseball games, while dress designing is her main hobby. Hubba! Hubba! I wonder who that tall blond fellow is whom she raves about? After graduation, Joyce would like to become a stenographer.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

MARGARITE HEFFNER — Commercial

"Margy" is one of the taller girls of the senior class and also one of the more talkative. She has a close-knit group of associates which can usually be found in a huddle somewhere. She likes to attend basketball games and movies. Being on the lackadaisical side, her physical activities seem limited to bike-riding and walking.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

CHARLES HEIM — Industrial

"Heimy," who is one of the smaller members of the class, spends his spare time working with anything mechanical. He also spends considerable time practicing gymnastics, at which he is very good, and helping on the stage crew. Charles is an excellent chemistry student and plans to become a radio technician.

Stage Crew 10, 11, 12; Tumbling Team 10, 11, 12.

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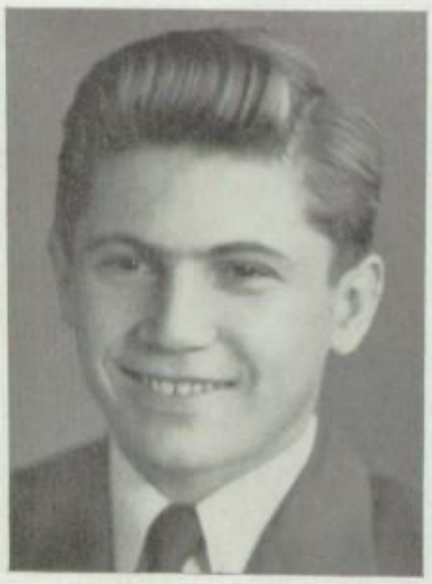
CLARENCE HEIST — Academic

"Sonny" is the jovial little fellow who is interested in photography. His favorite subject is chemistry, and he's a whiz at remembering formulas. Clarence claims he was born sleepy and never had the time to rest. After graduation he intends to study at Albright to become a photo-chemist.

Track, manager 11, 12.



ELTON HEIST — Academic

"Hiesty," who can usually be seen strolling the halls of Muhlenberg with Alma, is an ardent sports lover, baseball being tops. As a junior he was president of the class and during his senior year, held the position of vice-president in the Hi-Y. Going away to a specialized school to study aeronautical engineering is his future ambition.

Baseball 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi; Soccer 11.

EDWARD HEVALOW — Commercial

Swish! "What was that?" "Oh, just Eddie in his Chevy." Early in his career as a driver of motor vehicles, "Ed" was forced to work in order to pay for the upkeep of his car. His ready smile is an index to his pleasant disposition, which enables him to gain friends easily. After graduation, Edward plans to be a merchant-mariner.

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ALMA HOCH — Commercial

This lass is one of the class warblers, having been a soprano soloist in Mixed Chorus for the past two years. We were proud to hear Alma sing on the Girl Reserve program which was broadcast over a local station. She is fond of sports and was in regular attendance at football and basketball games. Alma would like to become a secretary.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi; District Chorus 12; Safety Patrol 12; County Chorus 12.

ROBERT HOLLINGER — Academic

Curly, blond hair and deep blue eyes are a combination to make any girl's heart beat faster. Bashful? Well, maybe, but nevertheless Bob is quite a guy. He likes all kinds of sports and is a past master of the violin. Bob also likes to talk about his recent trip to Italy. In the future he expects to attend college and extend his travels.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Baseball 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11; Debating 12; Traffic Court 12; National Honor Society 12; Muhltohi.

FERN HOPTLEY — Academic

Dark-eyed and energetic best describe Fern. She can often be seen on the athletic field where she acts as referee and manager in girls' sports. Fern was responsible for planning those good Girl Reserve programs. "Hoppy" is also frequently found running errands for a certain teacher on the first floor.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G.A.A. 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Track Manager 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi.

GEORGE IRWIN — Academic

George is one of the musical members of the class. He has been a faithful member of the band for three years, and also plays in the dance band. His executive ability has been amply demonstrated as president of Hi-Y and as treasurer of the class during his junior and senior years. He plans to enter Albright where he will take a liberal arts course.

Hi-Y 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 11; Baseball 10; Basketball 11; Hall Patrol 10, 11, 12.

HARRY ISENBERG — Academic

Harry is known as one of the best excuse-makers in the senior class; in fact, he's "Alibi Ike." Good-natured, he is a welcome addition to any group. He is fond of hunting and demonstrates his ability as a gunman each November. Harry likes chemistry and usually argues with everyone about it. He hopes to study chemical engineering at Case School of Applied Science.

Hi-Y 11, 12.

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SHIRLEY JACKSON — Academic

Little but spunky! Neatly curled dark hair, attractive clothes, and a jolly disposition make Shirley nice to know. Much of the credit for her attractive appearance is due to the fact that she is an excellent seamstress and makes many of her clothes. We may someday see her as a "woman in white."

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

RICHARD JACOBY — Industrial

This handsome lad is very popular with the girls and can usually be found with some pretty young miss. "Jocko," who is our "Man on the Flying Trapeze," spends most of his spare time perfecting his technique. He also enjoys imitating Goodman on the clarinet. "Dick" plans to join the ranks of the United States Marines.

Tumbling Team 10, 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Swimming Team 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12.

EARL KANTNER — Commercial

"Strike, spare, or split?" No, he's not combining baseball, tires, and bananas; it's just "Muscles" talking about his hobby, bowling. Most of his spare time, however, is taken up by his job in the St. Lawrence Restaurant. Unless he's nabbed by his Uncle Sam, Earl would like to enroll at Wyomissing Polytechnic Institute.

Baseball manager 10, 11, 12; Hall Patrol 11, 12.

VICTOR KEHLER — Commercial

An excellent student who loves to tell corny jokes, is "Vic." On the more serious side, we are indebted to him for his work as editor of the yearbook. Besides hunting and fishing, Vic enjoys the comedy of Hope and Skelton. His future ambition is to attend Wharton School of Business to become a Certified Public Accountant.

National Honor Society 11, 12; Hall Patrol 10; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi.

ELEANOR KELLER — Commercial

If you should ever walk along Frush Valley Road and hear someone feverishly trying to play "Chopsticks" on the piano, you can be sure it's Eleanor. "Nookie," who greatly admires the Navy, spends her spare time as a hard-working clerk in the Mohican. As to her future, she would like to increase the staff of some office as a typist.

KATHRYN KETTERER — Commercial

"Oh, hello, that you, Mert?" is not only Fibber McGee's line, as this native of Hyde Park will enthusiastically inform you. She never did succeed in eating during shorthand class without being caught —crime doesn't pay! After graduation "Katie" would like to become a secretary in a dress concern.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11; Majorette 12.

SHIRLEY KLINE — Commercial

Dynamite often comes in small packages. "Kliney" is really just a pocket-sized edition but quite capable of being heard. A certain sailor named Louis is the object of this blue-eyed girl's affections. Perhaps this is the reason she takes such an ardent interest in cooking. Shirley would like to become a beautician.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

ELEANOR KROGMAN — Academic

"Krogie" is usually arguing and appealing to her friends to help her out. She is a rabid basketball fan and, during her junior and senior years, helped cheer the Muhls to victory. Her varied activities keep her constantly "on the go." Eleanor hasn't decided whether to take up nursing or to enter the field of modeling.

Cheerleading 11, 12; Muhltohi; Observer Staff 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Bowling Club 11, 12.

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JACKSON KULP — Industrial

This "Apostle of the Obvious" is Mr. Lauck's problem child, who manages to keep the classroom in an uproar when he innocently comments on some simple question. Raising homing-pigeons ranks first on his list of hobbies. His future ambition is to become an apprentice to a general contractor, providing Uncle Sam doesn't find a place for him.

Mixed Chorus 12.

JACK LANE — Academic

Very quiet but full of friendliness best describes this serious senior. "Jack," one of our musical men, has his trumpet as his constant companion. In his spare time he can be heard trying to imitate his favorite, Harry James. His greatest ambition is to become a doctor, and he plans to enter Franklin and Marshall College in the pre-medical course.

Band 11, 12; Football, manager 12.

HILDA LEIBOLD — Academic

Hilda, another one of the "third finger, left hand" girls, rates home economics as her favorite subject, perhaps because it fits in with her future plans. She is one of those rare specimens, a quiet girl, and can usually be seen studying her German. Hilda is the domestic type, and housekeeping for "Joe" is her future ambition.

Muhltohi; Archery 11; National Honor Society 12.

SARA LERCH — Home Economics

Sara has a smile for everyone. Her willingness to help and her cheerful disposition have made her many friends. How does that Oldsmobile look? After what "Weezy" puts it through, we're afraid to look. Sara's dark, naturally wavy hair is the envy of all the girls, especially on rainy days.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

JENNIE LUDWIG — Commercial

From Blandon to Laureldale is a long ride, but "Luddie" has been doing it every day since she enrolled at Muhlenberg. Although her traveling limits her extra-curricular activity, she makes up for it by playing on the softball team of her home town during summer vacations. She hopes to become an office worker after graduation.

Muhltohi; National Honor Society 12.

MIRIAM LUPPOLD — Commercial

"Mim" is usually seen but not heard; however, she thoroughly enjoys a good time and is always in on the fun. She likes to dance and may often be seen riding her bicycle around Laureldale after school. Her weekends are occupied by working as a clerk in a dress shop. Miriam's future plans are indefinite.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

MARY LYNCH — Commercial

Although "Madie" came to this school in ninth grade, she is now quite at home. She takes a special interest in art, and very competently served as Craft Chairman of Girl Reserves for the past year. Mary is usually very calm and collected and takes her school work seriously. After graduation she hopes to obtain a secretarial position.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi.

VIVIAN MacLATCHIE — Academic

Vivian is the blonde of our class whose pet hate is a "rainy Sunday." She excels in archery and also enjoys swimming and dancing. Her artistic ability found an outlet in the art section of the yearbook staff. At present she is planning to go to college but is undecided as to what course she will follow.

G. A. A. 11; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Archery 11; Bowling Club 12.

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MARGARET MARBARGER — Commercial

Diminutive proportions, green eyes and brown hair are the chief characteristics of "Peg." She can often be seen traipsing around Laureldale with her pal, Margaret. In spite of her smallness, Peg withstood the rigors of the cheerleading squad for two years. She would like to attain a secretarial position.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Cheerleading 11, 12; Muhltohi.

BETTE MENGEL — Academic

Red-haired, 5'5" tall, and attractive best describes our Bette, who particularly enjoys English and lots of laughter. She expended a great deal of her time and energy writing for the Observer and, as assistant editor, racking her brain for ideas for the yearbook. After graduation she is heading for the Reading Hospital to become a "woman in white."

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi.

JACQUELYN MENGEL — Home Economics

"Jackie," a chatter-box, enjoys bike-riding and corresponding with a Brazilian lad. A real homemaker, she spends a great deal of her time sewing. Jackie would love to be her own boss and in the future intends to open up her own dressmaking business. At present she has a part-time job in a five-and-ten cent store selling cookies.

Girl Reserves 11; Muhltohi.

EDGAR MERTZ — Academic

Meet the class "Casanova." "Mert," who has quite a reputation with the ladies, can laugh at the grimmest things, even German. Edgar, who owns a fine collection of records, is especially fond of classical music and is an accomplished violinist. In his studies he excels in mathematics and intends to be either an engineer or lawyer.

Track 11, 12; Hall Patrol 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11; Hi-Y 11, 12; Debating 11, 12; Soccer 11; Muhltohi.

IDA MILLER — Academic

Looking for Ida? She can probably be found at Bachman's where she has worked for some time. "Robin" also finds a good deal of time to spend with a towering lad from Mohnton. A silly grin which usually wreaths her face indicates she is always looking for fun. In the future Robin hopes to become a Medical Missionary.

Muhltohi; Mixed Chorus 10, 12.

JOHN MILLER, JR. — Academic

John tells us his only interests in life are ice cream and mystery movies at the Laurel Theatre. However, he has served as manager of Track for the past three years and during the summer he is a regular patron of South Temple Pool. In the winter his leisure time is spent at the Y.M.C.A. where he participates in various indoor sports.

Hall Patrol 11, 12; Track, manager 10, 11, 12; Swimming 12.

SHIRLEY MILLER — Academic

This lively miss is a product of Centerport. Her dimples and winning smile are just two elements of her pleasing personality. Shirley delights in dancing, has a mania for Fords, and is especially attached to a certain green one. We think it might be the driver. In the future Shirley intends to top her curls with a nurse's cap.

Girl Reserves 11; Muhltohi.

LeROY MOLL — Academic

"Golf!" Who said golf? Why "Mollie," of course, who really relishes this sport. Although LeRoy appears quiet, his cheerfulness has made him many a friend. Mollie comes from a long line of travelers, being the fourth of his family to journey back and forth from Molltown each day. In the future he hopes to attend Wyomissing Polytechnic Institute.

Hi-Y 11, 12.

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JOHN NAGLE — Academic

"Leave the women alone" appears to be the constant policy of this tall, quiet lad. "Nagle" spends a great deal of his spare time at his hobby—raising chickens. John was one of the five judges who handed out retribution to violators of the traffic laws during his senior year. He intends to model the Navy's new uniforms sometime in June.

Traffic Court 12.

BETTY NICKLISS — Academic

"Dizzy" is one of the jive queens of the Senior Class, for she can usually be seen "jitterbugging" at the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday nights. Betty delights in laughing with other members of the class. She intends to become a school teacher and plans to further her education by attending a state teachers college.

Cheerleading 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12.

PATRICIA OWENS — Academic

"Pat's" artistic ability can readily be seen upon entrance into the art room and on the division pages of this book. This fun-loving lassie, who is quite a tease, is fond of the out-of-doors and enjoys all sports. In the future Pat intends to enter Moore's Institute of Art, and after that to start her own business in dress designing.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Safety Patrol 12.

ELWOOD OXENREIDER — Academic

Everyone knows "Slug" as the "all-around athlete," because there aren't many sports which he doesn't include in his activities. The only dislike that this lad has is doing homework for a certain compulsory class. After graduation "Oxy" wants to enter Albright College, hoping to become a future coach.

Soccer 11; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12.

SHIRLEY PEIPHER — Commercial

Shirley is a blonde-haired, blue-eyed mite, only five feet tall. When asked what was her favorite dish, she said, "Any dish, but fill it with spaghetti first." Shirley was kept quite busy as Muhlenberg's representative in Pomeroy's Be-Teen Shop. In the future she plans to be a hairdresser.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G.A.A. 11, 12; Bowling Club 10, 11; Muhltohi; Observer 12; Majorette 10, 11, 12.

PATRICIA PEIRCE — Academic

Active participation on the Observer Staff and the position of assistant editor on the Muhltohi have utilized the journalistic ability of this senior. "Patsie's" chief form of exercise is walking to school each day, but she also enjoys horseback riding. She intends to further her education by attending college to major in chemistry.

National Honor Society 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi; Observer 11, 12.

HAROLD PFAUTZ — Commercial

Baking cakes is this young man's unique hobby. He probably spends his leisure moments tracking down new recipes. During school hours, he has usually maintained a state of silence, except at lunchtime. Harold's chief love is the family car and spends a great deal of time washing and polishing it. He would like to enter the automobile business after graduation.

ALICE RAPP — Commercial

Bookkeeping is this quiet senior's favorite major. Despite the belief that a person can do only one thing at a time, Alice enjoys listening to the classics while doing homework. Music hath charms, you know. She is very active in church affairs, which take up much of her time. Her ambition lies in becoming someone's private secretary.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; Bowling Club 11, 12.

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ROBERT REDDY — Industrial

"Oh, how I hate to get up in the morning," is the theme song of this carefree, blue-eyed lad. "Rabbi" delights in playing his slide trombone and was a member of the dance band in that capacity during his senior year. When asked what his particular ability was, he beamed and said, "Women." After graduating, Rabbi would like to make music his career.

Band 12; Stage Crew 10, 11, 12.

CARSON REED — Commercial

Never hurrying, never worrying, Carson ambled serenely through his high school life. Talk about trapping or hunting, and "Drake" is your friend for life. Favorite pastime, other than teasing the "fairer sex," is baseball, and he keeps a scrapbook of all his favorite baseball players. After graduation Carson plans to join the Navy.

Baseball 11, 12.

CARL REETZ, JR. — Academic

"Reetz" is one of the more athletic members of the Senior Class, who places football at the head of his activity list with swimming a close second. He helped hold the Blue and Gold line at right tackle while his specialty on the swimming team was the 220. Carl intends to use his proficiency in "math" in studying at the University of Illinois to become a civil engineer.

Football 12; Soccer 11; Swimming 10, 11, 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Hi-Y 11, 12; Debate 12; National Honor Society 12.

ROY ROTHENBERGER — Industrial

"Red," who incidentally is the only red-haired boy in the Senior Class, has been indispensable as manager of the basketball team for the past two years and as a member of the stage crew. He would like to enter Wyomissing Polytechnic Institute after graduation unless the United States Marines points a beckoning finger at him.

Basketball, manager 11, 12; Stage Crew 10, 11, 12; Soccer 11.

EDWARD ROTHERMEL — Academic

"Eddie," one of the younger members of the class, enjoys all kinds of sports, and also promenading in the halls at noon with a certain girl from Pricetown Road. His spare time after school is pretty well taken up with assisting his father in his produce business. "Eddie" hopes to become a draftsman.

Hall Patrol 11.

MARY SAVINI — Commercial

The easiest way to find Mary is to trace the sound of laughter and merriment to its source. She may seem quiet in classes, but that's only when she's separated from her friends. "Shorty" spends her leisure time in the Temple Post Office awaiting missives from a certain sailor. Girls, it won't be long before you can go to Mary's Beauty Salon for your favorite hair-do.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

MARY JANE SCHAEFFER — Home Economics

Whenever there is a group of girls in a circle laughing, one can usually find this jolly lass in the midst of it all, although in a classroom she is a very shy person. Deforming her face by chewing gum is a bad habit which Mary has acquired. In the future she intends to become a hairdresser.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

RICHARD SCHLEGEL — Academic

Here is our quietest senior, who follows faithfully the old adage, "Silence is Golden." He never annoys anyone, teacher or pupil. Richard was one of the two seniors chosen to represent Muhlenberg in the all-state chorus. His hobby is the study of flowers and trees, and his ambitions for the future lie in the field of horticulture.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12; All-State Chorus 12.

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EDWARD SCHOENNAGEL — Industrial

Do you want to get into a good argument? Find "Ed," who will argue with anyone about anything. Ed is another one of those fellows who has to bend to enter a room. Being both athletically and artistically inclined, he was a member of the swimming team and produced some fine posters. He is noted for his griping and constant arguments.

Swimming 11, 12.

NANCY SECHRIST — Home Economics

"—and then I killed it." It's only Nancy relating one of her hunting experiences. So far as we know, she is our only female hunter. Nancy is very fond of dogs and can often be seen with "Spike," her foxhound. "Zeke" rates art as tops of all her subjects. After graduation she would like to cook for a certain soldier.

WILLIAM SEIDEL, JR. — Commercial

A crop of blond hair, two blue eyes, one pair of glasses, and a dry sense of humor, aptly describes this commercial student. Much of "Billy's" time is taken up playing a "squeeze box" in an orchestra. He's also very good at playing the piano. His favorite teacher is Miss Thelma Knauss, whom he pestered unmercifully and unrelentingly during the school day.

WILLIAM SHARP — Industrial

If you have ever seen "Sharpie" whizzing past you in most any kind of a car, you can be certain that he's going to purchase a new "flivver." However, his collection of cars doesn't seem to be able to get him to school regularly. "Sharp" and studies are like oil and water—they just don't mix. After graduation he hopes to become an automobile dealer.

DORIS SHINGLE — Academic

This pleasant red-haired miss with the cheery smile comes from the Pricetown Road. Although swimming occupies much of her time, she can also be found "plowing" around in a Plymouth coupe. In school she can easily be found because of her loud gum-cracking. In the future "Hokey" hopes to work in a novelty shop and later share her home with that certain lad.

Muhltohi; Safety Patrol 12.

BETTY SHOWERS — Commercial

"Boy! Was that a swell party," is an expression that can be heard from anyone who was at any of Betty's many gatherings. She can usually be seen with three other girls, also from the Senior Class. Betty's favorite "dish" is chicken potpie and tall, blond sailors. In the future she hopes to be a secretary.

Girl Reserves 11.

PAUL SHULTZ — Industrial

This husky lad could very well be spotted as a guard on the football team and, in recognition of his fine playing, was chosen as the outstanding line player in the county league. He is also an active member of the track team. Because of his ability in driving tractors and trailers, Paul plans to work as a mechanic after graduation.

Track 10, 11, 12; Soccer 11; Football 12.

ANITA SIGG — Academic

Anita is small, energetic, and very much alive. Her chief delight is in the realm of music, and she has three real live pupils of her very own. Born in Switzerland, she shows a natural aptitude for sports, especially skiing. Anita plans to enter the Reading Hospital to become a nurse.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; National Honor Society 12.

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MARY ANN SLONAKER — Academic

"Coming to the game tonight?" has been a favorite question of Mary Ann. And why? Because she's a cheerleader and was always on hand cheering the Muhls to victory. She likes to dance and where there's music, there's Mary Ann. She plans to enter Kutztown State Teachers College to study elementary teaching.

Cheerleading 10, 11, 12; Muhltohi; Observer 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Chorus 10.

ROBERT SNYDER — Academic

Bob seems to be a quiet lad to persons who don't know him very well, however, to his friends he is "one of the boys." Arrayed in a tie-less shirt and sport coat, Bob can usually be seen driving his father's car. If Robert doesn't become a "Nephew in Uniform," he'd like to further his education in the field of engineering.

Traffic Court 12; Muhltohi.

RUTH SPIES — Academic

"A smile for everyone," seems to be the motto of Ruth, who is full of pep and plenty of ideas. "Hon" is a lover of nature, spending most of her spare time swimming or hiking. Her favorite hobby is writing letters to a certain private first class. Ruth plans to join quite a few other senior girls in the nursing profession.

Girl Reserves 11, 12; G.A.A. 10, 11; Muhltohi; Safety Patrol 12.

EDITH STEFAN — Commercial

Another pianist, Edith spends most of her spare time trying to master "Fantasie Impromptu." Tiring of this, she relaxes by reading a good novel. In school she has been an excellent student and has already accepted a secretarial position which she will assume after graduation. Always dependable, she has rendered fine service as a secretary in the school office.

Horizon Club 11, 12; Muhltohi; Mixed Chorus 11; National Honor Society 12.

MARY LOUISE STOCKWELL — Academic

Sweet music can be heard when Mary Lou is playing the piano. This is not only an idle pastime, but her future ambition. During her senior year, Mary Lou participated in the Senior Class play, portraying Mrs. Wood. Much of her time is claimed by her profitable hobby, sewing. She intends to enter the field of music after graduation.

Mixed Chorus 10, 12; District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12.

GEORGE SUMMONS — Industrial

Quite the ladies' man! That's George, who is tall, dark and husky. George spends most of his time practicing on his saxophone or thinking about women. George is not afraid of work; he can even go to sleep beside it. Our "Hubba-Hubba" boy's main desire in life is to become a millionaire. When you learn the secret, George, tell us.

RUTH THIELE — Academic

Trim, petite, and friendly describe this small senior, who can always be seen rushing through the halls. That's right—she's a journalist. Much of her time outside of school is taken up with playing the piano. She can usually be found with her chum, Anita, for the two are inseparable. She intends to major in journalism at Albright.

Horizon Club 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11; Observer 11, 12; Muhltohi; Bowling Club 12.

JOAN THOMAS — Commercial

This small, red-haired lass, who portrayed the part of Milly Lou, a brat, in the Senior Class play, enjoys reading and doodling on the piano. Incidentally, she hates being called "Joan" and prefers "Jo-Anne." Joan, though very talkative among her friends, is rather quiet in class. She wants to work in an office after graduation.

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JEAN TOBIAS — Home Economics

Quiet, cute and tall, are the adjectives that best describe Jean. "Toby" is always holding up the line indulging in long telephone calls about the swell time she had the night before. Addicted to ice cream, she is always ready for a trip to Fries's. Jean intends to study beauty culture and hopes to find you in her beauty salon soon.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

BEATRICE VOESTE — Academic

Always ready for a good time, Beatrice is particularly distinguished by a laugh that cannot be suppressed. Small, but spunky, Beatrice finds much enjoyment in playing the piano and reading. Much of her time was taken up by the class play in which she portrayed the maid. Her desire for the future is to become a nurse.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Girl Reserves 11, 12; Muhltohi; District Chorus 12; County Chorus 12; All-State Chorus 12.

GWENDOLYN WALLEY — Commercial

"Gwen" can be found with her nose in a book almost anytime. She has no special preference, however, in the subject matter—anything from the latest Book-of-the-Month selection to comic books. Next to reading (or should we say, along with reading) chewing gum occupies most of her time. Her disposition is best indicated by that unusual, resounding giggle.

Girl Reserves 11, 12.

FLOYD WARMKESSEL — Academic

After spending his sophomore year in New Jersey, Floyd has returned to the halls of Muhlenberg. To prove that "Warmie" is athletically minded, he did a good job at left end in football's initial year at Muhlenberg. One of Floyd's favorite sayings is, "Do you have any gum?" After graduation he would like to study engineering or drafting.

Football 12; Hi-Y 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Track 12; Muhltohi.

CARL WEAVER — Commercial

Presenting to you this high-spirited senior who loves the out-of-doors, rating ice skating and horseback riding "tops." Much of Carl's time is spent in the fields and woods looking for unusual bird specimens. This interest was probably fostered by his long association with Boy Scout activities. Carl would like to play a trumpet in some orchestra after graduating.

Mixed Chorus 10, 11; Baseball 12.

CLIFFORD WEIDNER — Industrial

"Save the pieces!" Here comes "Mike" around the corner on two wheels in his "37" Ford. He can usually be found around cars trying to take them apart and put them together. He also enjoys listening to both jazz and classical music. "Cliff" can usually be found at a Hyde Park "juke joint." In the future he intends to become an auto mechanic.

LESTER WEINMAN — Academic

Pounding the drums in assemblies occupies much of this lanky lad's time. Lester also has a keen interest in sports, particularly track, while his favorite phrases are "double" and "triple para-diddles." His pet indulgence is a bowl of wheaties and milk with bananas piled on the top. Drumming up business for an orchestra is Lester's future desire.

Band 10, 11, 12; Track 11, 12.

WILLIAM WENTZEL — Industrial

This tall, dark-haired fellow is an example of one of Muhlenberg's happy-go-lucky students. We have discovered that "Bill" has a weakness for a certain green-eyed miss from Raymond Street. His future ambition will probably be delayed for a year by Uncle Sam, but later he would like to become a cabinet-maker.

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ROBERT WEYANDT — Academic

Bob lends support to the maxim, "Slow but sure." During his life he has made many tracks. That is the best way to explain his hobby, which happens to be model railroading. He never spends money on pin ball machines—he has one in his cellar. Bob helped to serve as track manager during his junior year.

Track 9, 10.

EDWARD WILLIAMS — Academic

"Who's been drawing faces on this paper?" Two to one, it's "Ed." He is eternally sketching some kind of drawing on any scrap of paper he can find. This practice was used to good effect on the "Athletics" division page of this book. Besides art, his favorite subject was chemistry. Edward hopes to become an engineer in the future.

Hall Patrol 11; Observer 11; Muhltohi.

WALTER WINTER — Academic

"Bush" is one of the more active members of the Senior Class whose extra-curricular activities were widely diversified. His first love is music, having been one of the stand-bys in band and orchestra and baritone soloist in mixed chorus. He expects to further his musical knowledge at Cornell University.

Track 10, 11, 12; Football 12; Baseball 11, 12; Band 10, 11, 12; Orchestra 10, 11; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Debating 11; Muhltohi; Traffic Court 12; District Band 12; County Band 12; All-State Band 12.

JOHN ZIMMERMAN — Academic

The girls must certainly take a lot from this lad, who takes a mischievous delight in tantalizing them. John re-entered Muhlenberg in his sophomore year after attending Wilson for three years. He is fond of tinkering with machinery, and after graduation plans to enter Wyomissing Polytechnic Institute.

Hi-Y 12.

Class History

Two hundred seventh graders entered Muhlenberg in the fall of 1940. Now, after six eventful years, 112 remain to graduate as the class of 1946.

"The Toymaker," an operetta which was presented in 1941, included many members of the class. Martin Held and Patricia Peirce received the American Legion awards for outstanding members of the eighth grade.

In ninth grade the Senior Woman's Club presented awards to the two most outstanding members of tfhe class, Ralph Greenawald and Patricia Peirce.

A more democratic method of passing to classes was instituted in 1943 during our tenth year. The presence of the class in the senior high school became apparent in the membership of various organizations and athletic activities. Ralph Greenawald and Joyce Fink were given the Maidencreek Hosiery Company awards for being outstanding members of the tenth grade.

A new system of arranging homerooms was adopted in our eleventh year, which caused a little consternation until we became accustomed to it. Doris Young and Walter Winter had the leading roles in the operetta, "In Gay Havana." Five juniors were elected to the National Honor Society. Friday, April 13, marked the day of the Junior Prom. Joyce Fink and Ralph Greenawald received the Junior Woman's Club prizes for outstanding eleventh grade students.

Joyce Fink and George Geary took the leading parts in the senior play, "June Mad," presented November 29 and 30. Paul Shultz was chosen the outstanding line player in the Berks County Football League. Linn Grim and Elwood Oxenreider were members of the teams which won the Berks County Basketball Championship for 1945 and 1946. The Senior Prom was held Friday, April 26. Music was furnished by Harvey Marbarger's orchestra. Friday, June 7, marks the climax of twelve long years of work when commencement exercises take place.

OFFICERS

Junior Year

President	Elton Heist
Vice-president	Robert Snyder
Secretary	Ruth Thiele
Treasurer	George Irwin

Senior Year

President	Ralph Greenawald
Vice-president	Linn Grim
Secretary	Anita Sigg
Treasurer	George Irwin

CLASS COLORS

Kelly Green and White

CLASS FLOWER

White Rose

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Class Will

We, the Class of 1946 of Muhlenberg Township High School, do hereby bequeath those highly characteristic traits which have made us the fine specimens of perfection which we are, to all those unfortunates we choose; so that they, too, may become as outstanding as we were.

Margaret Adams wills her ability to make tasty chocolate cakes to Marjorie Marbarger.
To Ralph Biehl, John Angstadt wills his skill in building model airplanes.
On Anthony Distasio, Kenneth Artz bestows his inferiority complex toward the girls.
Elsie Balsamini's ability to stay out of trouble is presented to her sister, "Sandy."
Lawrence Beyer wills his friendliness for dogs to all dog lovers.
To Gloria Muthart, Ruth Bricker grants her ability to blush easily.
Arlene Brown's long fingernails are bequeathed to Bonita Moyer.
Janet Coombs's ability to do several things at one time is willed to the ever-ambitious basketball manager, Alan Armstrong.
Melva Cramer presents her love for ice skating to Josephine DeSantis.
To Mabel Schittler, Betty Davis donates her rosy cheeks.
David DeAngelo's expert billiard playing is given to Eugene Malandra.
Robert Deist bequeaths his boxing ability to his brother, Donald.
Sara DeSantis gives her curly hair to Marveanna Feltenberger.
Ruby Dilworth gladly relinquishes her Observer "troubles," as a proofreader, to next year's victim.
The manly (?) build of "Tiny" Eisenbrown is bestowed on "Peanuts" Weaver.
Marian Faller submits her Girl Reserve problems to the future Girl Reserve president.
To the best man of '47, Richard Fegley wills what he thinks he's got.
Mary Fehr's ability to get along with anyone is presented to David Fry.
Jean Feltenberger bequeaths her stitch-in-time ability to Shirley Bosold.
The Veronica Lake hair of Donald Fetterman is sorrowfully bequeathed to George (Billy) Miller.
Joyce Fink wills her comic roles in operettas to Ruth Trexler.
The remains of his cedar chest, Luther Fink grants to Mr. Buckworth.
Betty Jane Fry and Mary Ann Slonaker award their "jitterbugging" talent to Jack and Robert Slonaker.
Ruth Gardner's ability to stay out of trouble while driving is contributed to Mary Ann Hunter.
Rose Gutierrez is the reluctant recipient of Catherine Gaspari's talkativeness.
Ernest Gauby bestows his car upon his brother, Forrest.
Mr. Harris, history instructor, is blissfully presented with the red wig worn in "Dress Reversal" by George Geary.
Jane Geiger wills her position as secretary of her Sunday School class to Gloria Wolfe.
Ralph Greenawald gives his prowess at shot-put to Henry Pfautz.
To Mr. White, teacher of mathematics, Garrett Greene reluctantly presents his bow-ties.
Linn Grim's ability to "direct traffic" is bequeathed to Miss Messner, English teacher.
Richard Hahn's brown wavy hair is willingly given to Allen Hassler.
Betty Hartman bestows her chairmanship of the Food Committee of Girl Reserves upon Mary Ellen Walters.
Joyce Heffner's love for shorthand goes to Ida Geisler.
Margarite Heffner's good sportsmanship is presented to everyone who goes to Muhlenberg.
Robert Gordon is endowed with Charles Heim's ability to do math.
Clarence Heist wills his gift for answering in "certain classes" to Martin Held.
The Class of '46 proudly bequeaths to Alma Meitzler, Elton Heist.
Edward Hevalow offers his manly physique to his brother, "Billy."
Alma Hoch's lovely soprano voice is willed to Richard Boyer.
Robert Hollinger presents his "love" for + and — signs to Miss Floyd, Latin teacher.
Fern Hoptley's dark eyes are granted to Kurt Weller.
George Irwin's ability to be calm and collected at all times is granted to Omar Greene.
Harry Isenberg contributes his long "needed" vacations from school to Jane Shipe.
Shirley Jackson grants her "height" to "Jim" Dojan.
Richard Jacoby bestows his tumbling skill on Paul Weller.
To Janet Pritchard, Earl Kantner offers his knowledge of bookkeeping.
Victor Kehler wills to the class of '47, his genius.
Eleanor Keller bestows upon June Gambler her love for biology.
Kathryn Ketterer and Shirley Kline bequeath their limited knowledge of shorthand to Gloria Rothenberger.
Eleanor Krogman endows "Pete" Wolfe with her ability to cheerlead.

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"Ducky" Kulp's supernatural brain is willingly given to Helen Reisner.
Jack Lane bequeaths his skating ability to Beverly Strauss.
Charles Eisenbrown is willed the "art" of being quiet by Hilda Leibold.
To Mary Jane Titlow, Sara Lerch presents her sewing ability.
To Pearl Eschbach, Jennie Ludwig bequeaths her proficiency in bookkeeping.
Miriam Luppold gives her dark hair to Charmaine Moyer.
Mary Lynch wills her long walk to school to Marilyn Wertz.
Vivian MacLatchie's skill at archery is awarded to Dorothea Kelchner.
To Ernest "Red" Ernst are donated the freckles of Margaret "Peg" Marbarger.
Bette Mengel presents the miniature coca cola bar in her locker to Groninger's Cafeteria.
To Mrs. Becker, the big feet of "Jackie" Mengel are gladly given.
Edgar Mertz's "Don Juan" tactics with the opposite sex are thoughtfully bestowed upon Barry Seidel.
To Miss Knauss, the fattening candy bars of Ida Miller are presented.
John Miller's ability to blush is happily awarded to Royden (Sil) Seyler.
Shirley Miller wills the mirror in her locker to all those who are going to miss it.
To Amelia Guidotti, LeRoy Moll presents his quiet disposition.
John Nagle's ability to learn math formulas is reluctantly given to Kathleen Haines.
Betty Nickliss offers her short walk to school to Ronald Updegrave.
Patricia Owens gives her ice skates to Betty Miller, since she will have more use for them.
Elwood (Slug) Oxenreider's skill in athletics is bequeathed to Mr. Clemens, coach.
On George Hasker, Shirley Peipher bestows her blue eyes.
Patricia Peirce wills her love for horseback riding to Janice Neuroth.
Harold Pfautz grants his ability to drive his father's car to his sister, Florence.
The quietness of Alice Rapp is bequeathed to Richard McKently.
The slow-ticking alarm clock of Robert Reddy, is given to his sister, Patricia.
Carson Reed awards his gift for getting along with the opposite sex to Donald Dahms.
To Gerald Haus, Carl Reetz wills his ability to "catch" cold.
Roy Rothenberger donates his managership in basketball to "Tommy" Rauenzahn.
To Arthur Hartzell, Edward Rothermel grants his ability to load trucks.
Mary Savini contributes her dark eyes to Marjorie Fry.
To Robert Hains, Mary Jane Schaeffer awards her talent for chewing gum vigorously.
George Oxenreider is willingly given the meekness of Richard (Pussy) Schlegel.
Edward Schoennagel bestows his swimming ability on his brother, "Jake."
Nancy Sechrist's love for dogs is given to Audrey Blatt.
William Seidel bequeaths his ability to play the accordian to Miles Hoover.
William Sharp presents his excess weight to Mr. Shaner.
To Mr. Brokenshire, Doris Shingle donates her loud gum cracking.
Betty Showers gladly gives her height to June Sterner.
Paul Shultz wills his athletic ability, especially to "kick the pigskin," to Leon Shultz.
Anita Sigg's love for skiing is bestowed upon Emily Snyder.
Robert Snyder's desire for a car goes to Aubre Givler.
The height of Beatrice Voeste and Ruth Spies is willed to Donald Walters.
To Jean Frederick, Edith Stefan awards her quiet disposition.
Miss Rahn is willingly given Mary Lou Stockwell's talent for playing the piano.
George Summons wills his love for horses to Arlene Seidel.
Ruth Thiele's position as Alumni Editor is relinquished to Janet Geise.
Joan Thomas wills the art of arguing to Jacqueline Meier.
Jean Tobias gives her height to Doris "Shorty" Wurst.
Gwendolyn Walley's giggle (about nothing) goes to Mary Irwin.
David (Whitie) Moyer is regretfully presented with Floyd Warmkessel's position on the football team.
Carl Weaver's smooth vocabulary is willed to whoever can use it.
To Lee Heffner, the troublesome Ford of "Mike" Weidner is willingly given.
The drumming ability of Lester Weinman is bestowed upon Donald Wolfe.
William Wentzel's ability to shoot pool is willed to Reuel Thomas.
Robert Weyandt bequeaths his track managership to John Newpher.
The private "blow-up works" possessed by Edward Williams is sadly presented to Mr. Schlenker, chemistry teacher.
The crooning ability of the seniors' Sinatra (Walt Winter) is donated to Robert Bradley.
John Zimmerman wills his love for food to any of the undernourished.

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SECOND ROW: Seidel, Shipe, Schmehl, Dellicker, Bair, Behm, Brown.
THIRD ROW: Bosold, Evans, Fish, Beck, Buchter, Geisler, Folk, Miss Horton.
FOURTH ROW: Schlegel, Cramer, Seidel, Bickel, Eisenbrown, Givler, Breitegam, Artz.
FIFTH ROW: Gass, Gassert, Seyler, Schoennagel, Dojan, Becker, Dunkle.

Eleventh Grade

FIRST ROW, left to right: Rothenberger, Redcay, Manwiller, Rahn, Wagner, Pritchard, Linderman, Wurst.
SECOND ROW: Wertz, Walters, McWade, Paff, D. Moyer, B. Moyer, Neuroth, V. Miller, B. Miller, C. Moyer, Meitzler.
THIRD ROW: Mr. Schlenker, Weidner, R. Rothermel, Miller, Reinert, Reisner, Nagle, Weyandt, McKently, Pfautz, P. Weller.
FOURTH ROW: Wolfe, Rentschler, G. Rothermel, Weaver, Updegrave, Oxenreider, Reber, K. Weller, Rapp, Rauenzahn.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Katzenmoyer, Kreider, Gring, Labe, Leibold, Guenther, Helms, Spangler, Kline.
SECOND ROW: Miss Floyd, Klemmer, Krantz, Hunter, Kantner, Trumbore, Graeff, Trout, Shuryn, Stoudt, Miss Messner.
THIRD ROW: Haines, Gutierrez, Trexler, Icelow, Heist, Tecklenburg, Kutz, Kauffman, Larkin, Hartman, George.
FOURTH ROW: Large, Hassler, Hartman, Hoover, Heffner, Held, Sturdivant, Steele, Greene, Greth, Herbein.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Bair, J. Daughtry, Noecker, Pfautz, Balthaser, Balsamini, Bright, Newpher, Burkey, Bortz.
SECOND ROW: Bissey, Burdan, Deck, Bossert, F. Bair, Anderson, Mrs. Roth, Albright, Bechtel, M. Angstadt, D. Angstadt, Davis.
THIRD ROW: Nagle, Seidel, Schittler, Reeser, Reber, Parson, Schlegel, Reed, Radermacher, Rubright, Canto, Bingaman, H. Daughtry.
FOURTH ROW: Plucker, Petsch, Scheffey, Rissmiller, R. Seidel, Beadle, Batdorf, Cramer, Armstrong, DeSantis, Bradley, Boyer, Degler, Dahms, Bertolet.

Tenth Grade

FIRST ROW, left to right: Neider, Hoover, Kearney, Kroyer, Larkin, Herbein, Hinnershitz, Sterner.
SECOND ROW: Mease, Parker, Nagle, Moyer, Rahn, Seidel, Noll, Shirk.
THIRD ROW: D. Moyer, Kreider, Meier, Moses, LeVan, Hinkle, Kochan, Muthard, R. Moyer, Mr. Gerberich.
FOURTH ROW: Mays, Hottenstein, Hill, G. Koller, H. Koller, Newpher, Marbarger, W. Moyer, Sweitzer.
FIFTH ROW: Ilg, Hoshauer, Liss, Klemm, Miller, Kline, Owens, Horning, Slonaker, Thomas, Herbein, Mr. Brader.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Foltz, Ferro, Heim, Weaver, Gordon, Frederick, Heffner, Eddinger, Faller.
SECOND ROW: J. Fick, Hasker, Gehris, Ulle, Garman, Haas, Gruber, Guldin, Geiger.
THIRD ROW: Wanner, Weisser, Zimmerman, Titlow, Young, Spayd, V. Walters, Spahr, Verret, Wolfe, Yoder.
FOURTH ROW: Faust, D. Fick, Witman, Zettlemoyer, D. Walter, Seidel, Starke, Slonaker, Hartzell, Mrs. Epler.
FIFTH ROW: Wily, Greusel, W. Heffner, Haus, Elliott, G. Hasker, Hains, L. Heffner, Fulmer, Held, Gerhart, Walley.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Bergman, Oswald, High, Yerger, Wanshop, Strubing, Phillips, Hahn, Angstadt, Heist, Lantz.
SECOND ROW: Hunter, Ermold, Hartman, Buck, Biehl, C. Adam, Boldt, Shipe, Rothermel, Fulmer, B. Adam, Tobias, Young.
THIRD ROW: Mrs. Martin, Rothermel, Yeakley, Gambler, Zettlemoyer, Noll, Yoder, Kauffman, Fies, Gottschall, Katzenmoyer, Hessler, Verret, Mr. Hand.
FOURTH ROW: Mervine, Fry, Riegel, Wenrich, Rothermel, E. Yoder, Kantner, Ziegler, R. Yoder, Kircher, Weaver, Boltz.
FIFTH ROW: Field, Oaks, Ketterer, Selig, Shuker, Hale, Zenke, Griffith, Dunkle, Heath, Rapp, Shipe, Leininger, Jones.

Ninth Grade

FIRST ROW, left to right: Herman, Ludwig, Delp, Bricker, Spinka, Landis, Eckroth, Sweitzer, Reedy, Viering, Haas, Gauby.
SECOND ROW: DeSantis, Weaver, Finkbone, Cronrath, Buda, Labe, Prutzman, Marbarger, Seidel, Malandra, Kutz.
THIRD ROW: Bossler, Hunt, Naftzinger, Breitegam, Lynch, Kline, Dellicker, Large, High, Schaeffer, Lill, Hertzog, Sweitzer.
FOURTH ROW: Mr. Boyer, Chafey, Haas, Fick, Rothenberger, Reichart, Arnold, Stufflet, Neher, Lynch, Hinkle, Early, Mr. Reinert.
FIFTH ROW: Weller, Fehr, Bosold, Fick, Biehl, Kelchner, Shade, Kohler, Parzanese, Long, Kessler, Eckroth, Hivner.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Trumbore, Arnold, Kutz, Knecktle, Hill, Heitzenrater, Haggerty, Schmeck, Leas, Hoyer, Barrell.
SECOND ROW: Rahn, Davis, Oyler, Weaver, Gernert, Deeds, Folk, Althouse, Manwiller, Becker, Clark.
THIRD ROW: Miller, Bingaman, Boeshore, Wolford, Ferro, Warneke, Mengel, Sturdivant, Strouse, Anderson, Epting, Shultz.
FOURTH ROW: Miss Willits, Artz, Graeff, Kring, Groff, Jones, Ketner, Snyder, Reinhart, Tobias, Symons, Kiedeisch, Mr. Lauck.
FIFTH ROW: DeMarco, Brown, Fry, Feltenberger, Seidel, McKnabb, Hardinger, Haas, Senft, Graeff, Ernst, Hivner, Kemmerer.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Jeter, Hurst, Connolly, Rapp, Karbel, Snyder, Wolfe, Pegg, Gauby, Potteiger.
SECOND ROW: High, Meyers, Leo, Reinhold, Kane, Kemery, Greth, Faust, Reed, Kurzweg, Starke.
THIRD ROW: Miss Rahn, Geary, Brokenshire, Brown, Hartranft, Spies, Henn, Rollman, Delp, Herline, Labe, Kurtz, Moyer, Manwiller.
FOURTH ROW: Frick, Schumann, McWade, Rapp, Gilbert, Heck, Wummer, Kremser, Brossman, Clark, Wolfe, Hamann, Rentschler.

Eighth Grade

FIRST ROW, left to right: Schoennagel, Trumbore, Biehl, Burdan, Auman, Sands, Kantner, Foltz, Garlin, Heffner, Brown.
SECOND ROW: Kline, Boyer, Geiger, Brown, Epler, Brown, Heffner, Wagner, DeSantis, Slonaker, Spanier, Santoni, Shirk, Yerger.
THIRD ROW: Mrs. Ramsay, Deppen, Hinnershitz, Reed, Leininger, Weinman, Scarince, Hunsberger, Williams, Lesher, Buda, Deck, Mr. Binkley.
FOURTH ROW: Trego, Smith, Eckert, Fisher, Miller, Critchlow, Correll, Hevalow, McKently, White, Delp, Deist, Bare.

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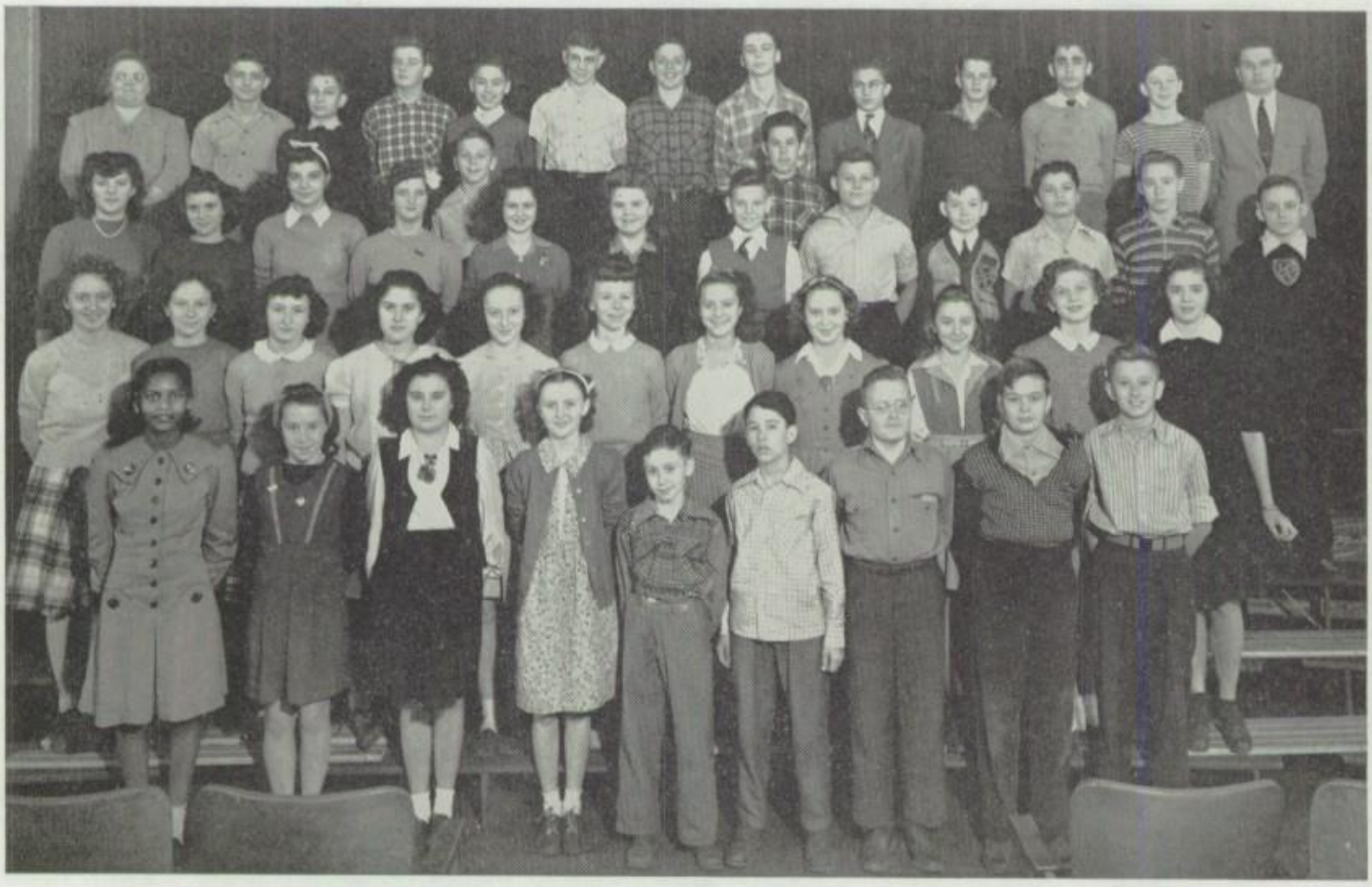

FIRST ROW, left to right: Jeffries, Kinsey, Huber, Jones, Sell, Heist, Biehl, Godshall, Briedigam.
SECOND ROW: Heckman, Isenberg, Oyler, Himmelreich, Canfield, DeAngelo, Berger, Dellicker, Angstadt, Kraft, Einsel.
THIRD ROW: Fry, Ebersole, Bare, Kline, Redcay, Tindle, Delp, Geiss, Gromis, Quinter, Bieber, Miller, Seidel, Buck.
FOURTH ROW: Miss Moyer, Parzanese, Moses, Snyder, Davis, Reed, Klemmer, Brady, Whitcraft, Gordon, Dunkelberger, Eberly, Mr. Sherker.

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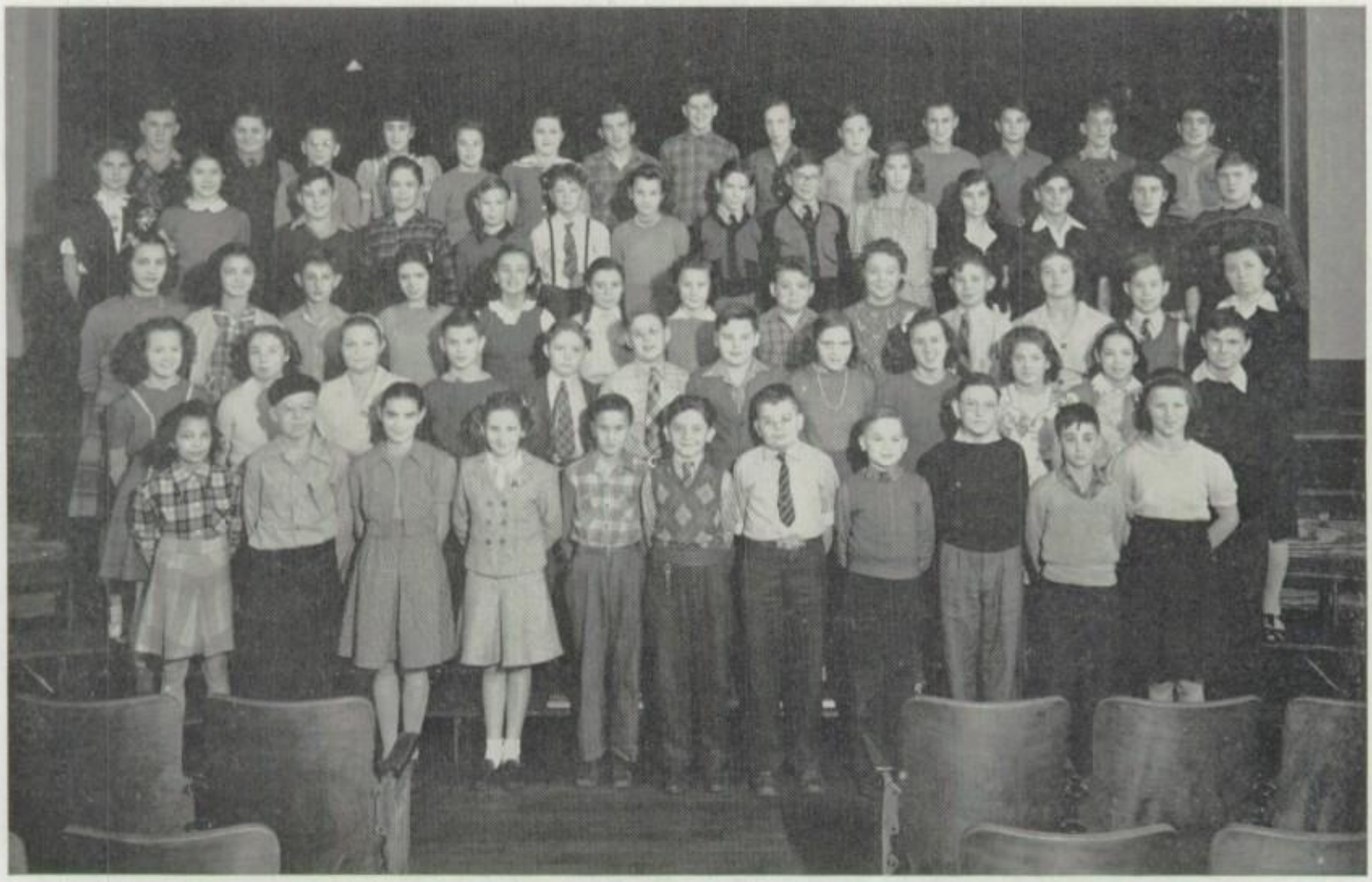

FIRST ROW, left to right: Wingert, Frantz, Bricker, Billman, Botch, Hurst, Rothenberger, Clemens, Trexler, Rothenberger, Williams.
SECOND ROW: Delp, Schmeck, Fish, Pentz, Weisser, Folk, Cordier, Schoener, Geisinger, Rothenberger, Schoennagel, Schell.
THIRD ROW: Hildebrand, Klee, Snyder, Barr, Shaner, Hinkle, Hill, Gottschall, Goodhart, Dawling, Dissinger, Wolfgang, Miss Staudt.
FOURTH ROW: Noll, Stump, Greenawald, Glass, Shomo, Newpher, Shoff, Shaver, Fick, Delp, Spayd, Spinka, Batdorf, Oxenreider.
FIFTH ROW: Lutz, Dautrich, Brossman, Bechtel, Rapp, Knoll, King, Lengle, Bare, Olszewski, Jones, Hardinger, Brown, DiNatale.

Seventh Grade

FIRST ROW, left to right: Breininger, Phillips, Huey, Schaeffer, Kurtz, C. Tobias, Rothenberger, Brown, Weller, Reichart, S. Tobias, B. Koch.
SECOND ROW: Dietrich, Dehart, Dietz, Hoffman, Geary, Horyczko, Seidel, Irwin, Schmeck, Mervine, Yarnell, Bowers, Hoffman.
THIRD ROW: Degler, Mrs. Bresler, Folk, Snyder, Sellari, Brunner, Prutzman, Shade, Malandra, Weidner, Moyer, Biehl, Sallada.
FOURTH ROW: Fry, Kase, Dojan, Hunsberger, Trego, Scheirer, Wadsworth, Price, Mrs. Wertz, Tobias, Williams, Walschburger, Schultz, Nagle, Speicher, Mrs. Woods.

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Elliott, Holland, Frederick, Shalter, Miller, Grim, Leighton, C. Meck, Brady, R. Adams, Hafer, Leibold.
SECOND ROW: Waldorf, Reed, Spangler, B. Meck, Keller, Hain, Trate, D. Adams, Clinton, Hartranft, Schell, Deeds.
THIRD ROW: Bricker, Adam, Schoener, Koch, Penturelli, Keating, Bauer, Gardner, Gehris, Koch, Speicher, Williams.
FOURTH ROW: Guldin, Haines, Greth, Wennell, Fronfield, Heckman, Mills, Heim, Yeager, Roy, Rothermel, Reddy, Wurst.
FIFTH ROW: Miss Ebling, Kaylor, Yerger, Holl, DeLong, Sites, McKnabb, Gardner, Wentzel, Snyder, Canonica, Mattox, Hain, Arnold, Knoll.

School Song

Our thoughts are held in loving thrall
To this, our honored Hall;
Within these walls we've pondered o'er
The paths that lead to All.
The best that wisdom gives, we got;
The prize belongs to all.
Our loyal friendship's flower divine
That bides in Blue and Gold.

Chorus:
Then here's a rousing shout to her
And to her colors bold.
We'll e'er be true and loyal to
The noble Blue and Gold.

Activities

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Trexler, Mr. King, director; Oswald.
SECOND ROW: Phillips, Mays, Rothermel, McWade, Hassler, K. Weller, Larkin, Haines.
THIRD ROW: Dunkle, Wolford, Irwin, Helms, Rothermel, Greenawald, Kauffman, Winter, Burkey.
FOURTH ROW: Shirk, Armstrong, Bertolet, Gass, Beyer, Reddy, Kurzweg, P. Weller.

Band

Our band has made a fine contribution toward our athletic activities by injecting spirit into the crowd at basketball and football games. With the color guard it has led the audience in the National Anthem before each Varsity basketball game at home and at the play-offs at Northwest Junior High School and Lebanon. An innovation this year was the playing of the alma mater of the opposing school while the drill team formed the letter of that school.

The band rendered weekly service to the school by playing for the assembly programs. The organization participated in the Armistice Day Parade which started from the American Legion Hall. They also played at the school during the Open House program, and for the Senior Play.

Our school was represented at the All-Berks County Band held at Wyomissing on March 3 by Ruth Trexler, Kurt Weller, Ruth Larkin, Walter Winter, Henry Gass, and Paul Weller. At Henry Gass, Walter Winter, and John Burkey. Walter Winter was chosen for All-State Band at Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

PERSONNEL

TRUMPET
Winter
Kauffman
Greenawald
Lane
Heist
Schultz
Rothermel

BARITONE
Dunkle
Wolford

FLUTE
Trexler
Oswald

CLARINET
K. Weller
Larkin
Hassler
McWade
Rothermel
Jacoby
Mays
Phillips

DRUMS
P. Weller
Haines
Kurzweg
Weinman
Burkey
Oxenreider

TROMBONE
Gass
Armstrong
Bertolet
Beyer
Reddy

BASSES
Ilg
Shirk

SAXOPHONE
Irwin
Helms

HORN
Sturdivant

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Radermacher, Paff, Adams, Miller, Dellicker, Larkin, Tobias, Bright, Sterner, Voeste, Kline, Rothenberger, Walters, Helms, Meitzler, Neuroth, McWade.
SECOND ROW: Mengel, Adams, Hoptley, Hoch, Ketterer, Sigg, Peirce, Dilworth, Heim, Kauffman, Eisenbrown, Trout, Trexler, Schmehl, Kroyer, Folk, Walters, Stockwell.
THIRD ROW: Fink, Reisner, Burdan, Haines, Gutierrez, Roth, Bossert, Schlegel, Heist, Schlegel, Winter, Owens, Beck, Mays, Parker, Weisser, Reinert.
FOURTH ROW: Wanner, Nagle, A. Seidel, B. Seidel, R. Seidel, Kulp, Held, Sturdivant, Hill, Boyer, Deist, Krogman, George, Weller, Rapp, G. Oxenreider, Beyer, Miss Horton.
FIFTH ROW: Wolf, Gass, Hassler, Becker, Bickel, Newpher, Armstrong, Hoover, Givler, Hartzell, Geary, Dahms, Walters, Mertz, Fetterman, Hollinger, Heist, Warmkessel, Greenawald, Dojan, E. Oxenreider, Grim.

Mixed Chorus

"Music hath charms." It must have, to bring out ninety-six students at 7:45 every Monday and Tuesday morning. Members of the senior high school who meet the qualifications set up by the music director, Miss Alta Horton, comprise this group.

Twenty-one representatives were sent to the Eastern District Choral Concert held at Mt. Penn from which five members were chosen to participate in the All-State Chorus. Each spring, members of the group also participate in the Alvin F. Kemp Night of Music. This year Muhlenberg had thirty-four representatives.

One of the highlights of the past year was the program of Christmas music given in assembly in conjunction with the Art Department. The chorus participates in approximately six church services a year as well as in other community and school activities. An operetta and spring concert are given alternately each year.

P. S. M. A.
EASTERN DISTRICT CHORUS

Richard Boyer
Donald Dahms
Donald Fetterman
Elizabeth Folk
Henry Gass
George Geary
Ralph Greenawald
Carolyn Helms
Alma Hoch
Norman Kauffman
Margaret McWade
Patricia Nagle
Dolores Parker
Donald Rapp
Raymond Schlegel
Richard Schlegel
Arlene Seidel
Mary Stockwell
Ruth Trexler
Beatrice Voeste
Mary Walters
Walter Winter

P. S. M. A.
ALL-STATE CHORUS

Henry Gass
Norman Kauffman
Margaret McWade
Richard Schlegel
Beatrice Voeste

COUNTY CHORUS

Richard Boyer
Donald Fetterman
Elizabeth Folk
George Geary
Aubre Givler
Ralph Greenawald
Carolyn Helms
Alma Hoch
Norman Kauffman
Ruth Larkin
Margaret McWade
Richard Schlegel
Arlene Seidel
Richard Seidel
Mary Stockwell
Ruth Trexler
Beatrice Voeste
Mary Walters

FIRST ROW, left to right: Mertz, Gutierrez, Reisner, Dilworth, Coombs, Deist.
SECOND ROW: Reetz, Hollinger, Greenawald, Gass, Schlegel, Rapp, Givler.

Debating

Under the direction of Mrs. Estella Roth and Mr. John Harris, the debating team had a very successful year.

The question was, "Resolved, that every able-bodied male citizen in the United States should be required to have one year of full-time military training before attaining the age of twenty-four." The question was discussed from three different angles. (1) Would compulsory military training be politically beneficial? (2) Would compulsory military training be militarily advantageous? (3) Would compulsory military training be economically and socially beneficial?

The team participated in panel discussions on the question at Shillington and Boyertown and were hosts at home to both of these schools. The team was also invited to speak at the Muhlenberg Lions Club and at the Hungry Club of Reading.

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FIRST ROW left to right: Wurst, Pritchard, Manwiller, Bricker, Trumbore, Voeste, Peirce, Muthart, Balsamini, Kline, Rothenberger, Peipher.
SECOND ROW: Leibold, Spies, Wagner, Moyer, R. Adams, Lynch, Rapp, Fehr, Guidotti, Neuroth, Marbarger, Ketterer.
THIRD ROW: Eschbach, Jackson, Gardner, MacLatchie, Sigg, Miller, Haines, Trout, Trexler, Schmehl, M. Adams.
FOURTH ROW: Mrs. Becker, Walley, Hoptley, Buchter, Paff, Dilworth, Meitzler, Owens, Schaeffer, Evans, Bosold, Miss Rahn.
FIFTH ROW: Labe, Hunter, Luppold, Weyandt, Shipe, Gaspari, Savini, Mengel, McWade, Fish, Hartman, Cowley, Gring.
SIXTH ROW: Davis, Hoch, Geise, Lerch, Tobias, Wertz, Coombs, Richardson, Slonaker, Fry, Folk, Nagle, Shuryn, George, Reinert, Reisner.
SEVENTH ROW: Nickliss, Hartman, Graeff, Blatt, Bricker, Moyer, Walters, Stoudt, Krogman, Feltenberger, Faller, Baer, Klemmer, Dresh.

Girl Reserves

"I will do my best to face life squarely and find and give the best," is the pledge of the Girl Reserves. The purpose of the organization is to promote loyalty, dependability, sincerity, reverence, and duty. Only girls of the eleventh and twelfth grades are eligible for membership.

This year the group sponsored a contest for the purpose of selecting a new Alma Mater. They also instituted a May Day celebration which will be held annually. A senior girl will be elected as May Queen each year.

An award of a twenty-five dollar Victory Bond is presented annually to the senior member of the organization who has contributed outstanding service to the school.

The advisers are: Miss Frances Rahn, Mrs. Evelyn Becker, and Mrs. Estella Rupp.

OFFICERS

President	Marian Faller
Vice-president	Gloria Rothenberger
Secretary	Patricia Peirce
Treasurer	Kathryn Ketterer
Junior Treasurer	Kathleen Haines

FIRST ROW, left to right: Mertz, Hollinger, Heist, Irwin, Deist, Grim, Mr. Brader.
SECOND ROW: Seidel, Heist, Moyer, Muthard, Burkey, Kauffman.
THIRD ROW: Boyer, Newpher, Owens, McKently, Rapp.
FOURTH ROW: Bradley, Bickel, Hoover, Jacoby, Isenberg, Large.
FIFTH ROW: Hassler, P. Weller, Gassert, Techlenberg, Fetterman, Heffner.
SIXTH ROW: Moll, Hasker, Reetz, Dahms, K. Weller, G. Oxenreider, Warmkessel, E. Oxenreider, Fegley.

Hi-Y

"To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character" is the purpose of the Hi-Y Club. The objectives of the organization are "to develop Christian character in the members through daily nurture of wholesomeness in personalities" and "to give service to school, community, nation, world, and God."

At the start of the 1945-46 school term, Hi-Y had a membership drive in which twenty-one new members were admitted, bringing the total membership to forty-one.

On December twenty-first the organization sponsored a Christmas Dance which was well patronized in spite of bad weather conditions and a spreading epidemic of influenza.

OFFICERS

President	George Irwin
Vice-president	Elton Heist
Secretary	Robert Deist
Treasurer	Linn Grim
Chaplain	Robert Hollinger
Committee Chairman	Edgar Mertz

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FIRST ROW, left to right: Reichart, Shingle, Peipher, Kurtz, Geary, Hoffman, Phillips, Buck, Haines, Spies.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Boyer, Owens, Graeff, Hoch, Paff, Richardson, Schmehl, Kelchner, Dellicker, Verret, Walters, Evans, Spade, Mr. Reinert.
THIRD ROW: Bickel, Heist, Cramer, Eckert, Deist, Irwin, Heist, Winter, Reed, Gass, P. Weller, Fetterman, Kehler.
FOURTH ROW: Herbein, Dojan, Hartman, Hollinger, Greenawald, Gassert, Seidel, Artz, J. Miller, Kantner, Snyder, Nagle, Rauenzahn.

Hall and Highway Patrols

The Hall Patrol and Highway Patrol have been organized for the improvement of traffic conditions both inside the building and on the way to and from school.

The Hall Patrol consists of six senior boys who are assigned certain positions in the halls in order to prevent congestion. Awards for this service are given at the end of each year. The first year award is a letter and the second year, if it is the senior year, is a charm. Mr. E. Brainerd Reinert is the faculty adviser.

The Highway Patrol has been organized in cooperation with the Reading Automobile Club to teach our students pedestrian safety. A list of highway safety rules is posted in each homeroom. Violators of these rules are tried by five student judges in the Traffic Court. Awards are also given for service on this patrol. The first year award is a letter, the second, a chevron, and the third, a charm. Mr. Myron Boyer is the faculty adviser.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Helms, Haines, Leibold, Dilworth, Fink, Balsamini, Ludwig, Stefan, Fehr, Gutierrez.
SECOND ROW: Dojan, Reetz, Bickel, Coombs, Sigg, Peirce, Deist, Gass, Greenawald, Grim.
THIRD ROW: Rauenzahn, Kehler, Greene, Hollinger.

National Honor Society

The purpose of the society is to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate desire for service, to promote leadership and to encourage development of character.

On March 7, 1946, the National Honor Society's annual induction service was held in the assembly. The membership is limited to 15 per cent of the Senior Class and 5 per cent of the Junior Class. This year nineteen new members, the full quota, were inducted during an impressive ceremony. Ralph Greenawald presided with the assistance of Victor Kehler, Joyce Fink, Janet Coombs, and Patricia Peirce, who were elected to membership last year. Dr. William Fink of the English Department, State Teachers College, Kutztown, Pennsylvania, delivered an inspiring address.

The 1945-46 students' handbook was prepared by the Honor Society members and will be revised for 1946-47 by this group.

1945-46

President	Ralph Greenawald
Vice-president	Patricia Peirce
Secretary	Joyce Fink
Treasurer	Victor Kehler

1946-47

President	Henry Gass
Vice-president	Arthur Dojan
Secretary	Carolyn Helms
Treasurer	Thomas Rauenzahn

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Peirce, Mengel, Krogman, Sigg, Thiele, Coombs, Geise, Meitzler, Slonaker, Neuroth, Reinert.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Gerberich, Mr. Schmehl, Peipher, Dilworth, Kehler, Schlegel, Mr. Lauck, Fink, Rapp, Hunter, Helms, Givler.

Observer Staff

The Observer Staff consists of a group of students selected from the eleventh and twelfth grades who are organized into Journalism classes.

Each person not only fills a position on the staff, but also works as a reporter. It is their duty to see that the paper provides an accurate account of school events, athletics, articles of student interest and special features.

The purpose of the publication is not only to keep the students, alumni and general public informed of the activities of the school, but to offer opportunities in creative writing for the members of the staff.

This year we can thank Mr. Lauck for keeping our staff busy and turning out a good school paper.

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Faculty Circulation Manager ..... K. H. Schmehl

STANDING, left to right: Reddy, Snyder, Rothenberger, Heim, Brady, Mr. Shaner.
KNEELING: Eisenbrown.

Stage Crew

Although this organization is one of the hardest working crews at school, it generally receives little attention or publicity. The boys are chosen by the stage manager, Mr. J. B. Shaner, from applications submitted to the office.

The stage crew is one of the organizations that works continuously from September until June. Their work consists of setting up and tearing down scenery for assembly programs, achieving different lighting and sound effects, making the gym more attractive for dances, and manufacturing special stage properties.

All of this work is done on the boys' own time. For three years of faithful service a charm is awarded by the school.

1946

SEATED, left to right: Geary, J. Fink, Adams, Mertz, Thomas.
SECOND ROW: Voeste, Beyer, Summons, Stockwell, Fetterman, Davis, L. Fink, Hollinger.

Senior Play

"Aw, you're swacky," aptly describes Chuck Harris's opinion of Penny Wood in "June Mad," which was presented to capacity audiences on the evenings of November 29 and 30.

Penny, an adolescent, becomes enamored of Roger Van Vleck, a college friend of her Uncle Mervyn, much to the disgust of her pal, Chuck. The plot becomes more involved when Roger proves himself a wolf by making a play for Mervyn's girl, Julie, which almost succeeds. Milly Lou, a busy-body, further "gums up the works" by constantly tagging after Mervyn. The play amusingly portrays the problems and worries of parents in the upbringing of teen-agers.

CAST

Penny Wood	Joyce Fink
Chuck Harris	George Geary
Mrs. Wood	Mary Stockwell
Elmer Tuttle	Lawrence Beyer
Dr. Wood	Donald Fetterman
Effie	Beatrice Voeste
Milly Lou	Joan Thomas
G. Mervyn Roberts	Robert Hollinger
Roger Van Vleck	Edgar Mertz
Mr. Harris	George Summons
Shirley Wentworth	Betty Davis
Ralph Wentworth	Luther Fink
Julie Harris	Margaret Adams
Properties and Programs	Richard Fegley
Prompter	Shirley Jackson
Director	Miss Esther M. Willits

SEATED: Givler, Pritchard, Folk, Moyer, Reisner, McKently.
STANDING: Reinert, McWade, Seidel, Large, Haines, Guidotti.

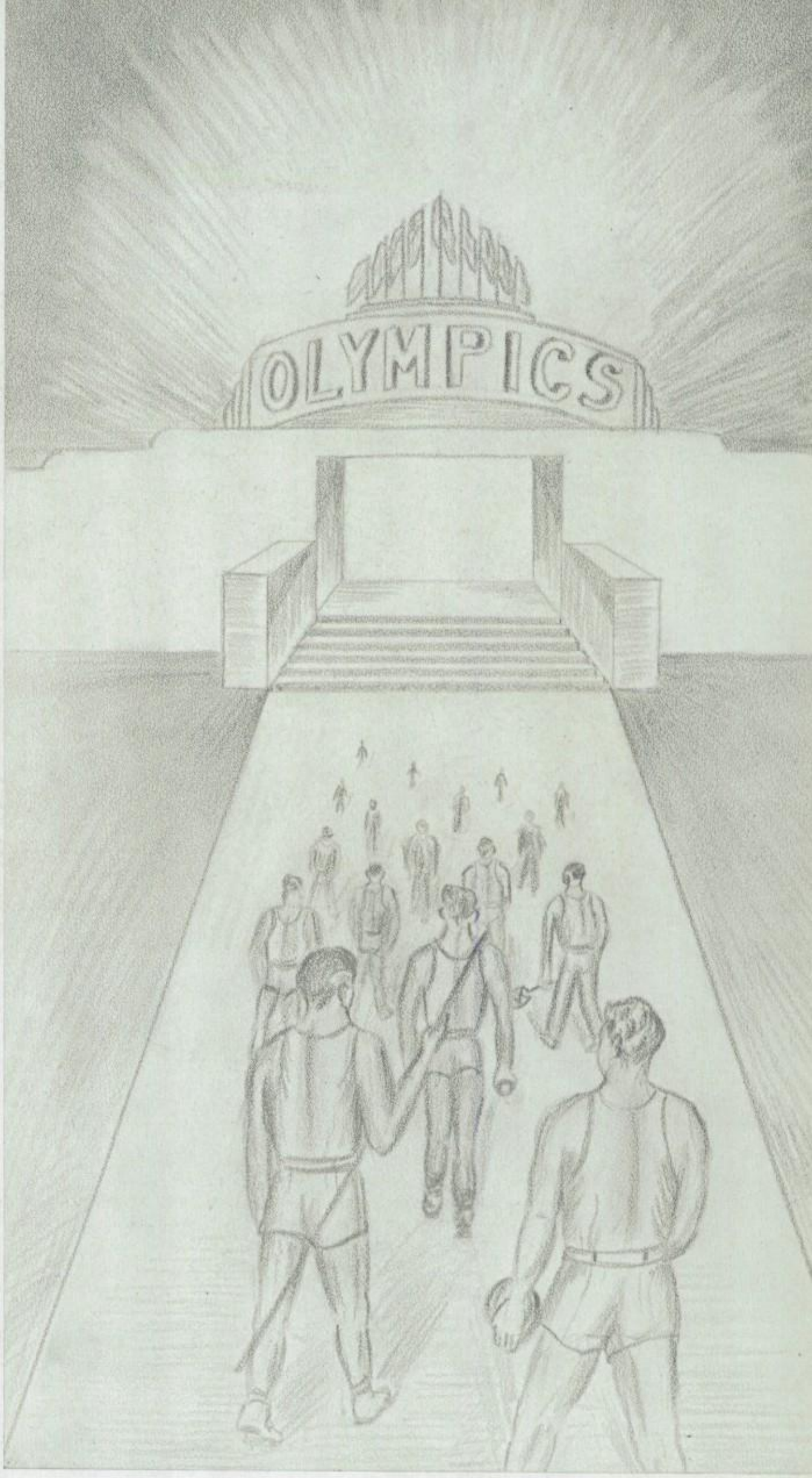
Junior Play

On the evenings of May 16 and 17, the Junior Class presented "Lovely Duckling" by Bennett and Hannah.

The play centered about Patricia Holmes who decides to make living unbearable for her father and his new wife. Pat's new step-mother turns out to be her former geometry teacher. To further complicate matters, Pat's sister, Gloria, arrives from Hollywood where she is a child-star. Because of a publicity stunt arranged by Pat's Aunt Florence, everything ends favorably. Pat accepts her new mother, Gloria lives with Pat as a real sister for the first time, and Pat is no longer an "ugly duckling," but a lovely one.

CAST

Rosie	Margaret McWade
Pat Holmes	Charmaine Moyer
Albert Davidson	Aubre Givler
Bummy Post	Amelia Guidotti
Myra Edwards	Kathleen Haines
Tom Holmes	Barry Seidel
Victoria Holmes	Betty Folk
Freddie Amberley	Edward Large
Annabelle Wilson	Marilyn Reinert
Florence Cartwright	Helen Reisner
Gloria Cartwright	Janet Pritchard
Murphy	Richard McKently
Properties	Ray Weidner, Royden Seyler, Marjorie Weyandt, Marilyn Wertz
Prompters	Dorothy Beck, Ida Geisler, Marion Davis
Tickets	Raymond Schlegel
Director	Mrs. Jean B. Woods



Athletics

FIRST ROW, left to right: Moyer, Adams, Nickliss, Krogman, Slonaker, Marbarger, Rothenberger.
SECOND ROW: Wagner, Pritchard, Bright, Herbein, Kroyer.

Cheerleaders

Cheerleading was provided at all the football and basketball games during the year of 1945-46 under the supervision of Mr. Shaner. The cheerleaders held several pep meetings in the gymnasium during lunch periods.

Awards are presented at the end of each cheerleader's second and third year of service. A letter is awarded at the end of two years' service and a charm at the end of the third year.

CharmaineMoyer, Margaret Adams, Betty Nickliss, Eleanor Krogman, Margaret Marbarger, and Gloria Rothenberger will receive letters this year, and Mary Ann Slonaker, a charm.

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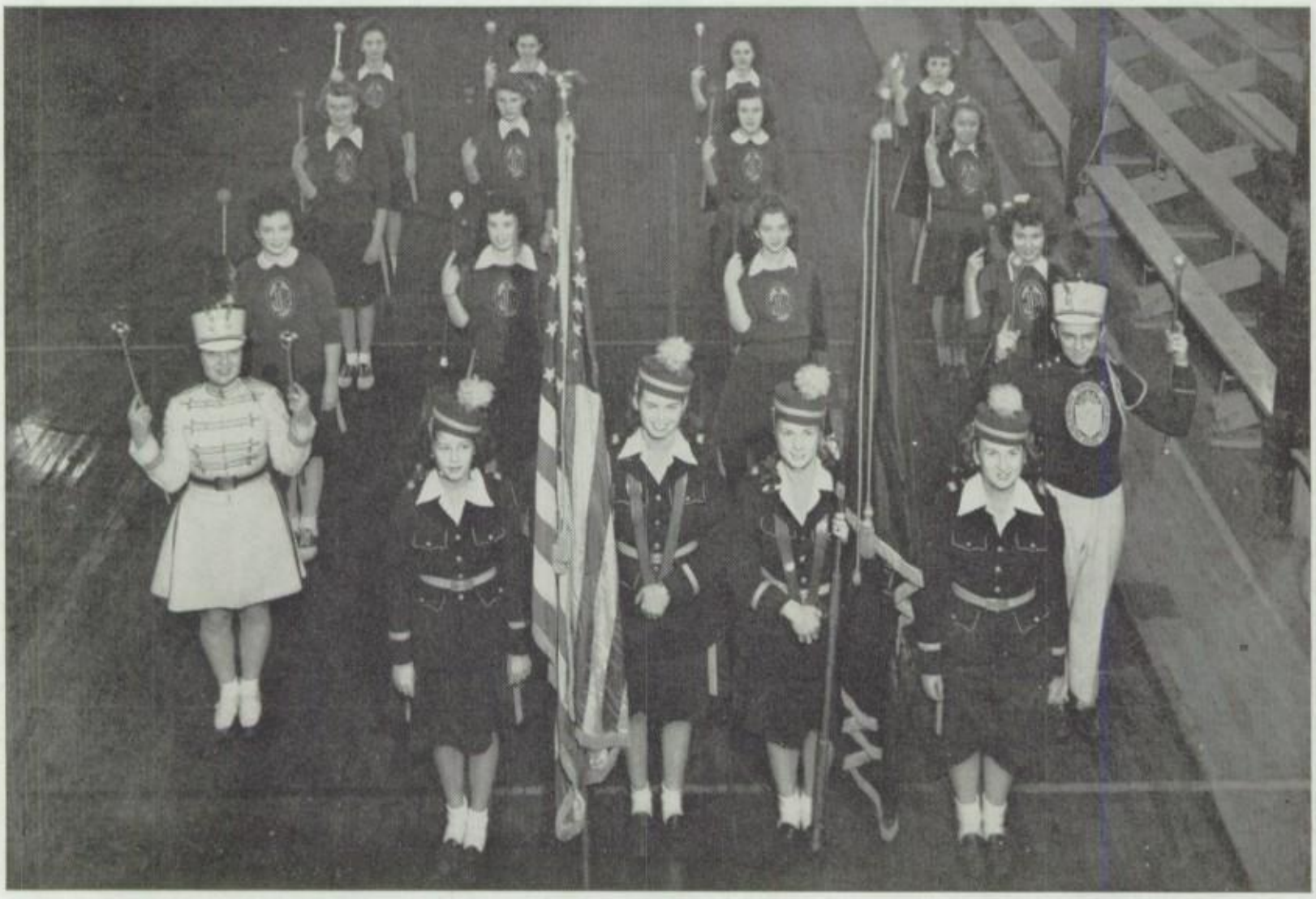


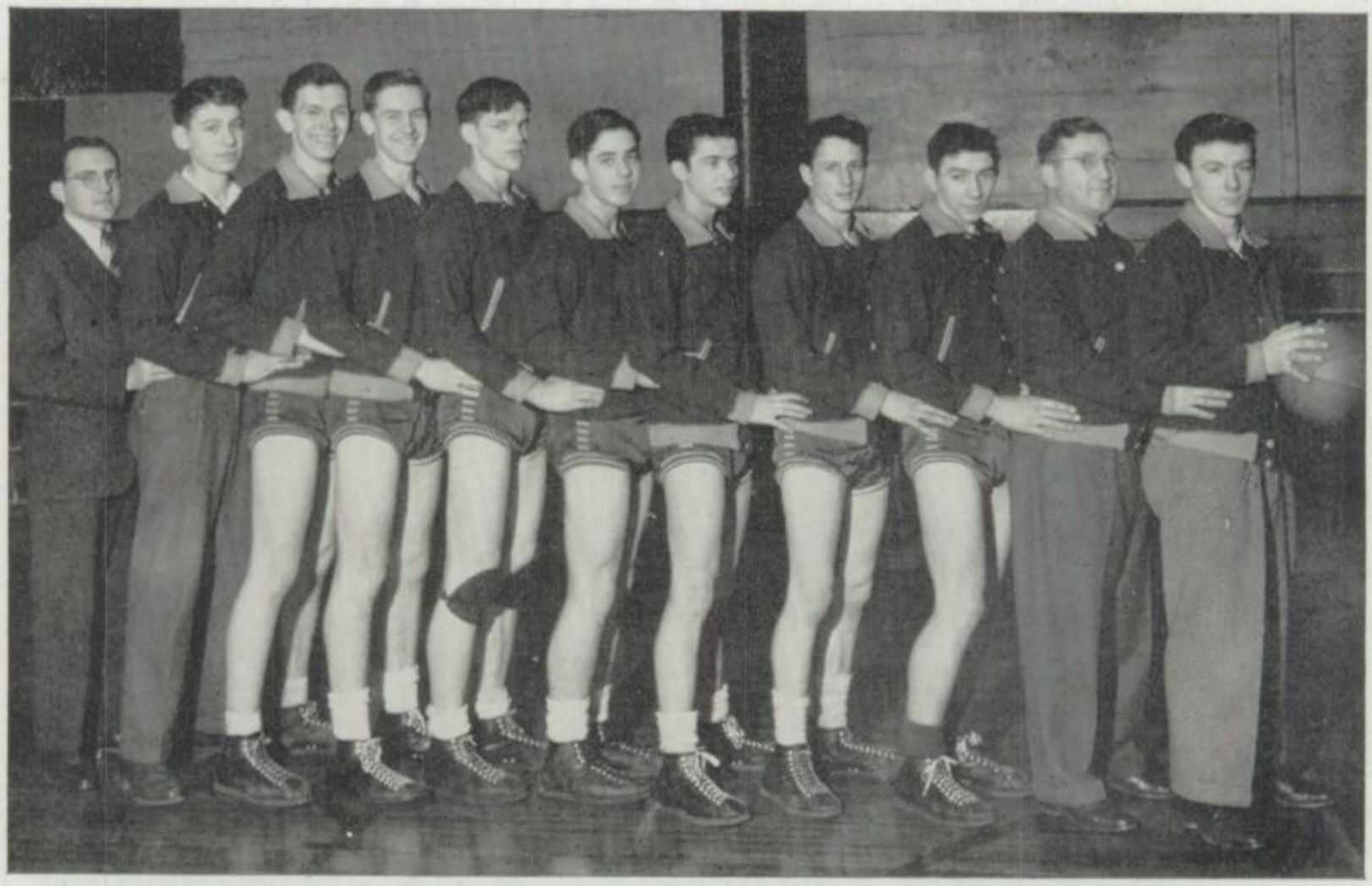
FIRST ROW, left to right: Spahr, Fink, Meier, Parker.
SECOND ROW: Verret, Weidner.
THIRD ROW: Wanner, Hottenstein, Seidel, Ketterer.
FOURTH ROW: Sweitzer, Shuker, Bergman, Wadsworth.
FIFTH ROW: Haas, Yoder, Davis, Linderman.

Drill Team and Color Guard

Entertainment was provided during half-time at the football and basketball games by the twirling exhibition of the drill team. Led by a drum major and drum majorette they formed the letters, both of our school and the opposing school.

The color guard presented the colors in an impressive manner while the band played the National Anthem before each varsity game at home and at the play-offs at Northwest Junior High School and at Lebanon.

Any girl in high school is eligible to try out for the drill team. For the first two years of participation she receives a chenille letter, and for the third year, if it is her senior year, a charm.



RIGHT TO LEFT: Rothenberger, Mgr.; Mr. Clemens, Coach; Miller, Slonaker, Distasio, Seyler, Oxenreider, Dojan, Grim, Rauenzahn, Asst. Mgr.; Mr. Hand, Asst. Coach.

Varsity Basketball

Muhlenberg Township High School basketball team again copped the Berks County title after three play-offs—Wilson, tied for Central Division; Robesonia, Western Division champs; and Hamburg, Northern Division monarchs. Lancaster eliminated our hopes in the first game of the P. I. A. A. Class A play-offs at Lebanon.

1945-46		M.T.H.S.	OPP.
Nov. 27	Kutztown	44	17
Dec. 1	Hamburg	44	26
7	Hamburg	57	32
14	*Wilson	23	27
18	Hamburg	41	22
26	Amity	38	18
Jan. 4	*Mt. Penn	57	30
8	Birdsboro	67	21
9	Slatington	40	37
11	*Wyomissing	31	26
15	*Mohnton	39	32
18	*West Reading	38	40
22	*Birdsboro	47	21
25	*Mt. Penn	32	26
29	*Wyomissing	51	37
Feb. 1	*Mohnton	43	28
5	*Shillington	45	24
8	*West Reading	71	31
15	*Wilson	24	27
22	*Shillington	57	28
Play-offs			
Feb. 25	Wilson	45	27
27	Robesonia	41	31
Mar. 1	Hamburg	43	16
P. I. A. A.			
Mar. 7	Lancaster	31	36

*League Games

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Armstrong, Mgr.; Moyer, Bradley, Becker, Weller, McKently, Mr. Clemens, Coach.
SECOND ROW: Boyer, DeSantis, Hasker, Newpher, Oxenreider, Moyer.

Junior Varsity Basketball

This year the Junior Varsity squad did considerably better than last year by winning 10 out of 18 games. Their final standing in the league was fifth place.

DATE	OPPONENT	M.T.H.S.	OPP.
Nov. 27	Kutztown	28	27
Dec. 1	Hamburg	31	19
7	Hamburg	25	13
14	*Wilson	18	13
Jan. 4	*Mt. Penn	16	24
8	*Birdsboro	22	25
11	*Wyomissing	21	17
15	*Mohnton	15	28
18	*West Reading	20	24
22	*Birdsboro	27	28
25	*Mt. Penn	25	21
29	*Wyomissing	27	17
Feb. 1	*Mohnton	23	39
5	*Shillington	28	18
8	*West Reading	17	25
15	*Wilson	19	17
22	*Shillington	19	27
26	Wilson	31	25

*League Games

FIRST ROW, left to right: Verret, Mgr.; Hessler, Manwiller, Lantz, Rahn, Rapp, Mr. Hand, Coach.
SECOND ROW: Bosold, Kring, Snyder, Fry, Shipe.

Junior High School Basketball

The organization of a county junior high basketball league presented an opportunity for the junior high team to compete with other schools in our district. The team gained valuable experience in their eleven games played, although they won only four tilts.

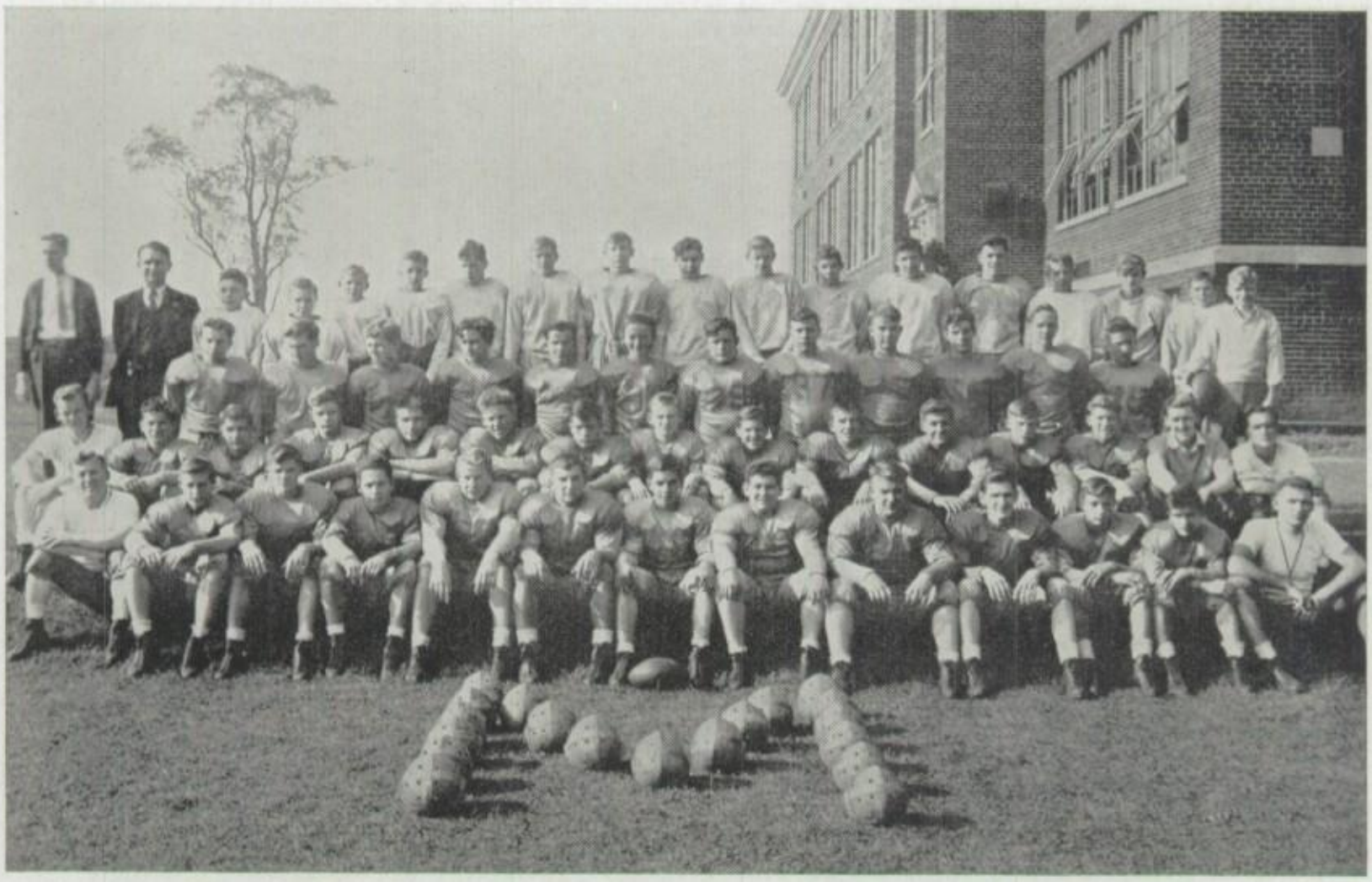
1945-46			M.T.H.S.	OPP.
Dec.	6	Pennside	22	28
	18	Exeter	26	27
	20	Mohnton	15	18
Jan.	4	Wilson	27	16
	11	West Reading	23	37
	18	Shillington	18	24
	25	Pennside	24	21
Feb.	1	Mohnton	30	23
	8	Wilson	32	23
	15	West Reading	6	22
	22	Shillington	14	29

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Geary, Godshall, Buck, Heist, Brokenshire.
SECOND ROW: Verret, Mgr.; Klemmer, Burdan, Parzanese, Quinter, Pehlman, Mr. Hand, Coach.
THIRD ROW: Dunkelberger, Hamann, Miller, Eberly, Gromis, Brady.

"Ponies" Basketball

Future varsity cagers, now only eighth graders, formed a competitive team under the trade-name of "Ponies." Although these boys had only one game against another school, Pennside, they reported faithfully for practice every week. Next year they hope for a more vigorous work-out on the Junior High team.



FIRST ROW, left to right: Mr. Clemens, Hasker, E. Oxenreider, Large, Reetz, Shultz, Seyler, P. Weller, Greenawald, Warmkessel, K. Weller, Winter, Mr. Miller.
SECOND ROW: Mr. Brokenshire, Owens, Bradley, Dahms, Bosold, Ernst, Kutz, Weber, Spahr, Haines, C. Weller, G. Oxenreider, Artz, Dojan, Mr. Hand.
THIRD ROW: Muehlmann, Gassert, Newpher, DeSantis, Tecklenberg, Armstrong, Haus, Nagle, Elliott, Degler, Scheffey, Seidel, Moyer.
FOURTH ROW: Lane, Mr. White, Ferro, Leas, Marbarger, Jones, Horning, Hivner, Shipe, McKnabb, Showers, Thomas, Starke, Herbein, McKently, Zettlemoyer, Rahn.

Football

Football's initial year at Muhlenberg was more successful from the viewpoint of experience than that of league standing. Because our home field was not completed, all home games were played at George Field. Of the five league games played, we won two, lost two, and tied one. Captain of the varsity squad was Elwood Oxenreider.

There were enough candidates for the team to allow a junior varsity team to be formed. The squad played four games, won one and lost three. Kenneth Artz was captain of the junior varsity squad.

DATE	OPPONENT	M.T.H.S.	OPP.
Oct. 6	Manheim	13	25
13	*Wyomissing	0	6
20	*Boyertown	13	13
27	Stevens Trade	0	19
Nov. 3	*West Reading	31	12
10	*Shillington	20	26
27	*Wilson	27	6

*League Games

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Muthard, Jacoby, Cronrath, Leas.
SECOND ROW: Weller, Hoover, Fry, Jones, Kohler.
THIRD ROW: Mr. Brader, Coach; J. Schoennagel, Dahms, Miller, Reetz, E. Schoennagel.

Swimming Team

Composed of fourteen boys who were coached by Mr. Brader, the swimming squad enjoyed a successful season. All meets were held at the Central Y.M.C.A. in Reading. The events included breaststroke, backstroke, freestyle, relay and diving. Carl Reetz, captain, sparked the team in the 220-yard freestyle.

Any boy is eligible for the team. For a varsity letter he must participate in three-fourths of all meets scheduled, score an average of two points per meet, and attend 95 per cent of all practices. If the second year of participation is a senior year, he receives a charm; if it is not, he receives a certificate and the third year award is a charm.

DATE	OPPONENT	M.T.H.S.	OPP.
Mar. 4	Shillington	43	16
25	Wilson	50	5
Apr. 1	West Reading	19	40

FIRST ROW, left to right: Mr. Clemens, G. Oxenreider, Miller, E. Oxenreider, Dojan, Heist, Winter, Moyer, Mr. Hand.
SECOND ROW: Hollinger, DeSantis, Bradley, Reber, Ernst, K. Seyler, Slonaker.
THIRD ROW: Cramer, McKently, Newpher, Moll, Haus, Weller, Kantner.

Baseball

With the return of five lettermen, prospects are cheerful for the 1946 baseball season. The nucleus of the team remains in Oxenreider, pitcher; Dojan, first base; Miller, third base; Winter, shortstop; Heist, center field; and possibly Seyler, left field, if he is able to play. A promising crop of new material assures the rounding out of a smoothly working team.

Apr.	9	Wilson	Away
	11	West Reading	Home
	16	Wyomissing	Home
	18	Shillington	Away
	22	Mt. Penn	Home
	30	Wilson	Home
May	2	West Reading	Away
	7	Wyomissing	Away
	9	Shillington	Home
	14	Mt. Penn	Away

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Warmkessel, Weller, Hasker, Mertz, Jones, Parzanese, Gordon, Snyder, Bickel.
SECOND ROW: F. Brown, R. Brown, Miller, DeMarco, Shipe, Buda, Rapp, Gerhart, Mr. Buckworth.
THIRD ROW: Bosold, Smith, H. Brown, L. Brown, Ferro, Herbein, Boyer, Gass, Dunkle, Kutz.
FOURTH ROW: Klemmer, G. Greene, Rothenberger, O. Greene, Reetz, Greenawald, Miller, P. Shultz, Bradley, Weyandt, L. Shultz.

Track

All indications point to another successful track season. With the return of seven lettermen, among them Ralph Greenawald and Lester Weinman, two consistent point winners, the team hopes to repeat its victories of last year at Albright, West Reading and Mt. Penn. Greenawald, shot-put expert, took second place in the state meet held last year at State College.

Apr. 12	Mt. Penn	Home
15	Pennside Jr. High	Home
20	Albright—County Meet	Albright College
25–26	Penn Relays	Philadelphia
May 1	Wilson, Mohnton	Home
4	West Reading—County Meet	West Reading
8	Venzke Relays	Birdsboro
11	Shillington—County Meet	Shillington
18	District 3 Meet	Lancaster
25	State Meet	State College

FIRST ROW, left to right: Hain, Spangler, Hill, Schmeck, Wingert, Koch, Wurst, Geary, Gehris, Meck.
SECOND ROW: J. Seidel, Adam, Reddy, Hoffman, Dietz, Yarnell, Penturelli, Adams, Manwiller, Shaner, Brady.
THIRD ROW: Schmeck, Schoennagel, Horyczko, Wadsworth, Ray, Wolfe, Snyder, Reinhold, Starke, Peipher.
FOURTH ROW: Warneke, Katzenmoyer, Trego, Fies, Ermold, Fehr, Buck, Sparr, Himmelreich, Isenberg, Moyer, Adams.
FIFTH ROW: Deeds, Pegg, Einsel, Angstadt, Oswald, Geisler, Selig, B. Davis, A. Seidel, Nagle, Rothermel, Parker, Hoptley.
SIXTH ROW: Miss Slifer, Bergman, Hartman, Eddinger, A. Davis, Wagner, Helms, Hartman, M. Faller, George, Shuker, Sweitzer, E. Faller, Anderson.

G. A. A.

The Girls' Athletic Association is an organization for girls who wish to participate in sports. The only requirement for membership is the desire to take part in one or more sports for the season.

Volleyball, hockey, basketball, and softball are the major sports for senior high. The minor sports are archery, badminton, swimming, bowling, and tennis. Major sports for junior high are soccer, basketball, and softball. The minor sports are volleyball, tennis, and swimming.

Awards are presented to girls who have completed six games and two practices in three major sports or two major and two minor sports.

The G. A. A. supports itself by holding dances in the gymnasium after school, and also by selling refreshments at the football and basketball games.

OFFICERS

President ..... Marian Faller
Vice-president ..... Carolyn Helms

1946

FIRST ROW, left to right: Mays, Helms, E. Faller, M. Faller, Fink, Hottenstein, Gutierrez.
SECOND ROW: Fehr, Hill, Hartman, Herbein, Miss Slifer.
THIRD ROW: Parker, Nagle, Lynch, Wurst.

Girls' Track

The opportunities for the girls' track team to compete with other schools are limited to the Shillington meet. Last year the team won the cup at this meet and this year is looking forward to another successful season. The two participants upon whom they are pinning their hopes are Joyce Fink and Marian Faller, both of whom are competing in the running high jump. Girls' track teams formerly participated in meets at Kutztown, Albright, and West Reading, but these events were discontinued in 1941.

The events in which the team competes are the 50-yard dash, 440-yard relay, standing broad jump, basketball throw for distance, and the running high jump.

FIRST ROW, left to right: Parker, Mays, M. Faller, Eddinger, Hartman, Ermold.
SECOND ROW: Deeds, Fehr, Bosold, Helms, Shuker, E. Faller.
THIRD ROW: Adam, B. Davis, Miss Slifer, A. Davis, Peipher.

Volley Ball

This year the Girls' Volleyball Suburban League was inaugurated in the county. A cup will be awarded to the winning team and will become the permanent possession of the school taking top laurels for three years.

When weather conditions were favorable, the games were held outdoors. This is a new sport at Muhlenberg which has been received with enthusiasm by the senior high school girls.

Schools participating are: Mohnton, Mt. Penn, Muhlenberg, Shillington, West Reading, and Wilson.